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FILL COUNTY JOBS

COUNTY COURT NAMES FOUR MEN FOR VACANCIES.

MANY WERE APPLICANTS

G. S. Pfeifer, Janitor, D. C. Owen, Farm Supt., Dr. Frank Wallis, Physician—Peery Re-elected.

THE COUNTY APPOINTMENTS.

George S. Pfeifer, janitor at court house.

D. C. Owens of near Elmo, superintendent of the county farm.

Dr. Frank C. Wallis, county physician.

M. A. Peery, title examiner.

The above are the appointments made by the county court just before noon today. There were many applicants for each of the positions.

For janitor at the court house there were six candidates. The position pays $50 a month. Mr. Pfeifer, who was selected, is at present janitor at the Christian church.

There were four applicants for superintendent of the county farm. Mr. Owens, who was selected to succeed William Job, who resigned, is a farmer living near Elmo. The job pays $65 a month with $20 allowance for a helper to run the farm.

Dr. Frank C. Wallis was selected as county health officer and physician, there being five candidates for this position. The office pays $250 a year as county physician and fees as health officer. Dr. Wallis succeeds Dr. F. M. Ryan.

M. A. Peery, the present title examiner, was re-appointed. This position pays $2 for each title examined for a county loan.

The court did not select a county highway engineer and the appointment will probably not be made until the April term of court. There were two applicants for the job.

A GUARD FOR EDISON.

U. S. Takes Steps to Protect Man of Wonderful Creative Powers.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

East Orange, Feb. 8.—A guard has been established for Thomas Edison, and special police powers have been granted to this body guard. The reason for this precaution is that the creative mind of Edison will be of the utmost importance to the United States should war come.

WANT MERCHANTMEN GUARDED.

Attempt to Secure Services of Navy Will Fail, Officials Say.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Pressure to have American warships convoy American merchantmen was renewed on the White House state department today. The department officials declared that the attempts will not be successful.

Pickering Swears by Horace Leet.

The following is from the Pickering Pick-Ups in this week's Hopkins Journal:

H. F. Leet, of the Leet Grain company of Pickering, was elected a member of the board of directors of the Missouri Grain Dealers' association at the convention in St. Joseph last week. Mr. Leet is familiar with every phase of the grain business and if there is a nicer man in the state than he is, that man has not as yet been found. Pickering people all swear by Horace Leet.

W. D. Wallace of Parnell is in Maryville on court business today.

HAVE RARE COLLECTIONS

Mrs. Ratcliffe and John Coburn Give Lists of Old Coins in Their Possession.

Among the possessors of rare coins collections in Maryville and vicinity are Mrs. Kate Ratcliffe, living in town and John Coburn, living two and one-half miles northeast of Maryville.

Mrs. Ratcliffe says that some of the coins in her collection have been in possession of the Ratcliffe family for 100 years. The rarest ones are. A German thaler dated 1819; a Spanish coin, bearing the words, "Carolus III, Dei Gratia," and dated 1805; one American trade dollar of 1878; two half dimes dated 1853 and 1860; one dime dated 1859; two 2-cent pieces dated 1864 and 1865; two small 3-cent pieces dated 1851 and 1853; two large 3-cent pieces dated 1868 and 1876; one large cent dated 1835; one half cent dated 1826 and one 6¼-cent piece dated 1776.

Mr. Coburn's collection is equally as interesting. He has five silver half-dollars dated respectively, 1830, 1831, 1822, 1828 and 1834. These coins have letters on the edges. Also, 1-cent pieces dated 1850 and 1848; one penny, called a "gold penny," and dated 1858; two nickel pieces (silver) worn so thin that the date cannot be told; a silver 3-cent piece 185—; a dime dated 1835; a copper coin dated 1806 with the words, "George III," on it; a penny dated 1866 with the words, "Victoria, Brittania Reg. F. D."

THE NEW DRAINAGE DITCH

J. N. Nolan, State Commissioner, Inspects Route, Which Will Be Extension of the 102 Ditch.

J. H. Nolan, state drainage commissioner, yesterday inspected the proposed route of the new drainage ditch which will be an extension of the 102 ditch, from the Carr bridge to a point about five miles south. Mr. Nolan said that a drainage ditch in that vicinity is necessary and great damage will be done by the floods if not such an outlet is built to carry off the flood waters.

The dredge boat manager in charge of the boat at the 102 ditch is estimating the cost of digging the ditch today. When these figures are obtained they will be sent to Mr. Nolan, who will submit the cost of the proposition aside from the digging. Either a new drainage district can be organized or this district can be included in the 102 drainage district.

It is proposed to use about a mile of the old river bed for the new ditch. It is thought likely, too, the Burlington railroad will be greatly benefitted and would probably stand the expense of making a cut in the river a short distance south of Arkoe, the railroad company being able to save two bridges by so doing. The matter will be taken up with the railroad company.

JOHN TILSON RESIGNS.

Mail Messenger Gives Up Work—Bids For Position Are Now Open.

John L. Tilson, who has been mail messenger for a number of years has resigned his position. Sealed proposals for carrying the United States mails (including parcel post mails) between the post office and the Wabash and the Burlington each way as often as required will be received by the postmaster until February 17, 1917. Blank bids may be secured at the post office.

George Warner Dies.

George P. Warner, 41 years old, a farmer living near Maitland, died at a hospital in St. Joseph at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The body was forwarded to Maitland for burial.

George Dirks of near Ravenwood was a Maryville visitor today.

THE GILMORE TRIAL

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY DEVOTED TO THE SELECTION OF JURY.

REGULAR TRIAL MONDAY

Defense Will Probably Plead Emotional Insanity—Numerous Witnesses Will Be Examined.

Friday is the day set for the preliminaries of the Gilmore trial. At this time one hundred talesmen, summoned to appear in circuit court will be challenged according to the process of selecting a jury to try Mrs. Clemma Gilmore for the murder of Mrs. Ella Shipps.

Both Friday and Saturday will be devoted to the selection of the jury and the regular proceedings of the trial court will start Monday.

Mrs. Gilmore is charged with the murder of Mrs. Ella Shipps on the morning of August 16, when Mrs. Shipps went to the Burlington depot where she intended to take the early morning train to Kansas City for a visit. While she was having her baggage checked, Mrs. Gilmore entered the room, drew a pistol and shot Mrs. Shipps twice. The wounded woman died soon afterward.

Mrs. Gilmore came back to town and gave herself up to the sheriff, stating that she had killed Mrs. Shipps. She was placed in the county jail and has been there ever since.

The plea to be made by the defense in the case is not known, but it is possible that it will be emotional insanity. The state will hold out for first degree murder either death or life imprisonment, contending that Mrs. Gilmore's pending suit for divorce filed several months before the killing and which is uncontested and would have been granted at the September term of the court last year, is almost equivalent to complete legal separation, and Mrs. Gilmore should have had little or no interest in the acts of her husband.

Mrs. Gilmore accused Mrs. Shipps of being the cause of the separation with her husband.

The state will be represented by William G. Sawyers, prosecuting attorney, while Mrs. Gilmore will have Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison to defend her. The state has subpoenaed sixteen witnesses, most of them being eye-witnesses to the killing. The defense issued subpoenas for thirty witnesses today.

Out of the panel of 100 talesmen, forty will be selected and from that number the jury of twelve will be drawn. It is expected the case will go to the jury by next Thursday.

MRS. VISCONTI TESTIFIES

Refuses to Make Story Public Telling Committee Only — Name May Be Divulged.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The house rules committee in charge of the "leak" investigation carried on a session today. When Mrs. Visconti, the star witness, was called she refused to tell her story publicly, and wrote the name of the person from whom she had received her information on a piece of paper, which was shown to the members of the committee only. The committee reserved the right to make the name public if necessary. After supplying this name, Attorney Whipple suddenly excused her.

The two small children of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sharr are very ill with pneumonia at their home, east of Pickering.

Basket Ball Game
TOMORROW NIGHT

Albany High School
vs.
Maryville High School

Watch for the High School Parade and Dutch Band after school Friday.

ADMISSION 25C

Normal Gym—8:00 p. m.
Friday, Feb. 9

EDUCATORS TO MEET

TEACHERS OF FIVE TOWNSHIPS TO MEET AT SKIDMORE.

AN ALL-DAY SESSION

County Superintendent Bert Cooper Announces Program for Morning and Afternoon.

A teachers' and patrons' meeting of Monroe, Green, Hughes, Atchison and Nodaway townships will be held at the High School building at Skidmore on Saturday, February 24. The following program was announced by County Superintendent Bert Cooper today:

Morning Session.

Song ..... By Audience
Invocation ..... Rev. Harrison
Address of Welcome..Frank Barrett
Song .....Skidmore Primary Pupils
Song .....Quitman School
How and Why Keep School House Clean?.....Ruby Ruddle
Exercise .....Hazel Dell School
Training for the Spring Track Meet.....Prof. Ralph McClintock
Teaching Reading and Literature to Upper Grades, Prof. J. M. Decker
Boys' and Girls' Club Work..... .....J. F. Kellogg
Song.....Union Valley School

Afternoon Session

Music .....Skidmore High School
Recitation.....Union Star School
Preparation of Eighth Grade Pupils for Examination....Opha Crawford
Exercise.....Pifer School
Weaknesses of Rural School Graduates in High School..... .....Prof. E. R. Adams
Teachers' Duty to Community.... .....Prof. J. N. Geyer
Exercise .....Eureka School
Teaching of Language and Grammar.....Prof. D V. Culp
School Improvements....Bert Cooper

EUGENE WALLACE INJURED

Catches Right Foot in Bailer, Crushing Severe Bruises and Necessitating Medical Attention.

Eugene Wallace suffered a painful injury about 1 o'clock this afternoon. In company with several other men he was bailing hay on his farm, two miles south of Maryville, when in some way his right foot was caught in the bailer. The great toe was mashed and the top of the foot was severely bruised. Dr. Will Wallis, Jr., was called to dress the injury, and it will be several days before Mr. Wallace will be able to walk.

WOULD BE A U. S. CITIZEN

F. August Engelmann Takes Out His Second Naturalization Papers Today.

F. August Engelmann took out his second naturalization papers today before Circuit Clerk Henry Westfall to become an American citizen. His first papers were taken out at Nashville, Tenn., January 1, 1890, but he neglected to take out his second papers.

Mr. Engelmann was born at Nienbagen, Germany, on February 29, 1860. He came to America in 1886. He located in Maryville several years ago. His son, Alfred Engelmann, filed his declaration of intention to become an American citizen yesterday.

SUFFERS FIRE LOSS.

Two-Story Frame House of "Lish" Nicholas at Burlington Junct. Burns

A two-story frame house in Burlington Junction, owned by "Lish" Nicholas and occupied by W. E. Nicholas, burned to the ground this morning. The fire started from a defective flue. Only a part of the furniture was saved. Mr. Nicholas carried only $600 insurance on the building.

Not For Their Friends.

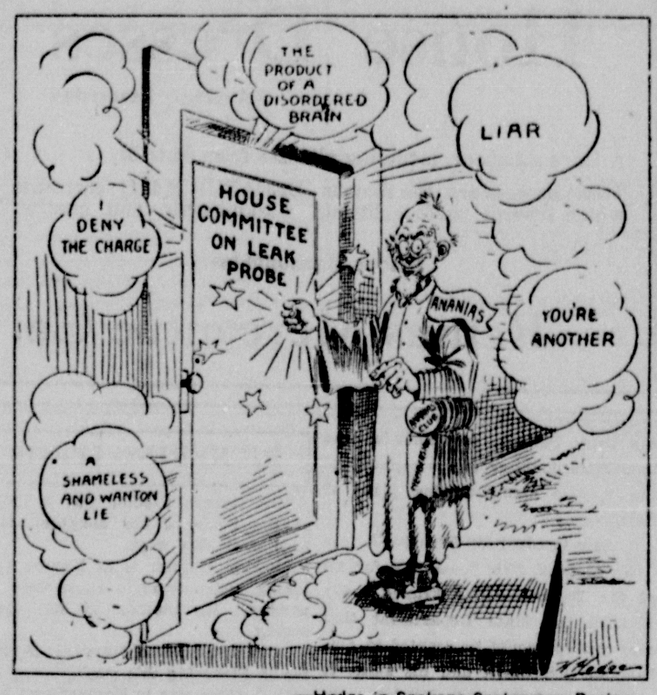
The banquet and program to be given at the Modern Woodmen hall tonight is for the members of the W. O. W. and of the Woodmen Circle and of their families, and not for friends as was erroneously stated last night.

To Play Albany H. S.

Maryville High School will have its next basketball "tussle" tomorrow night when it plays the Albany High School at the Normal gymnasium. This is the first game with Albany this season, and reports say that it will be one of the best games on the schedule.

C. S. Johnson of near Clearmont was a city visitor today.

ON THE JOB.



—Hodge in Spokane Spokesman-Review.

WILL BE POPULAR

ALL SHOULD DISCHARGE DEBTS DURING PAY-UP-WEEK.

UNDER NO COMPULSION

People Will Be Paying Running Accounts Because It Is The Proper Thing to Do.

The most popular thing you can do during the week of February 19, will be to pay your running account or long overdue obligations. That week is National Pay-Up-Week and all over the country merchants and their customers will be joining in the observance of this occasion. In Maryville merchants are in unison in cooperating and will offer special sale prices during the dates. In Maryville the week will be known as National Pay-Up and Community Sale Week.

During National Pay-Up-Week the most fashionable thing one can do will be to pay his bills. The fact that this is a popular movement and is being entered into enthusiastically all over the country is taken as indication of great success. People will be paying their bills not from compulsion, but because it is the right and proper thing to do.

The fact that cities and towns in every nook and corner of the United States will be following the same plans as are being used in Maryville is considered a strong feature of the campaign. At a meeting held in January Maryville merchants agreed to work together and to follow plans under the supervision of the Business Exchange of the Commercial Club. In this manner a concerted movement will result.

During this week everybody will be paying bills. Business men, professional men, their customers, clients and patients will all be striving to wipe the slate clean. There are many accounts in Maryville—on the books of retail merchants—which could be wiped out if the people but were cognizant of the inconvenience caused by allowing them to run from month to month and year to year. With everybody in the game this should be a great week for Maryville.

"Pass Prosperity Around" is a good slogan to combine with "I'll Pay My Bills So You Can Pay Yours."

Greathouse Guests Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Greathouse and two sons, Cecil and Walser, of Oklahoma City, who have been guests at the home of Mr. Greathouse's brother L. W. Greathouse, for the last few days will leave this evening for Twin Falls, Idaho. Mr. and Mrs. Greathouse will locate in Idaho if they like the country.

"The Widow McGintey"
Home Talent Play
IN 3 ACTS
at Mt. Pleasant School
6 miles north of Maryville,
Friday Night, Feb. 9
SPECIAL MUSIC—EVERYBODY INVITED
Admission 10c and 25c

THIRTEEN MISSING

NUMBER REPORTED LOST ON THE CALIFORNIA DECREASES.

SUNK WITHOUT WARNING

Occurrence Sweeps Away All Hope That Passenger Carriers May Escape the Submarines.

(BULLETIN)

London, Feb. 8. —An American seaman was reported killed when the British steamship, Torino, was submarined.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Thirteen of the thirty-one passengers are still missing according to a cable received by the general manager of the anchor line today.

Forty-one are Missing.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Forty-one persons are missing as a result of the torpedoing of the California, according to a cablegram from Queenstown, which was received by the state department late yesterday afternoon. The text of the cablegram was as follows: "The survivors of the California number 162 and the missing forty-one. Apparently torpedoed about 10 o'clock yesterday morning."

The California was a British liner and was torpedoed without warning off the Irish coast and the one American known to have been on board was saved.

Her sinking has about swept away the last lingering hope here that Germany, after all, would permit passenger carriers to escape is an effort to avoid driving the United States to hostilities.

Whether this will prove to be the overt act to drive the United States into the war no one would attempt to say.

Not U-Boat's Fault Americans Live.

The fact that the American escaped lessened, in a degree, the excitement created by the news, but only in a degree. More than a score of merchant craft have been sent to the bottom in the war zone within the last twenty-four hours and it is realized that if no citizen of the United States was among the victims, it merely was a fortunate accident and that it can be only a matter of hours before Americans are caught in such wholesale destruction.

Really Menaces England.

With the California the immediate issue, officials were deeply impressed by the complete thoroughness of the German undersea campaign and its promise, on the figures of the last two days, of carrying out Germany's threat to isolate England completely. Lloyd's reports received here show a total of

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GERARD IS STILL ON GERMAN SOIL

STATE DEPARTMENT RECEIVES NOTICE OF HIS "DETENTION."

IS NOT BEING HELD AS TEUTON 'HOSTAGE'

Action Follows Receipt of News That German Ships On U. S. Coast Were Seized.

(BULLETIN).

Boston, Feb. 8.—The appearance of a large submarine, evidently foreign, in the entrance of the sound at Boston harbor has thrown the shipping circles into consternation here. Captain Smith of a tugboat who reported the sighting said that he was familiar with submarines and that this one was not American.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Information that Gerard, his embassy assistants, the American consul in Germany and the prisoners taken in the Yarrowdale are "detained" was received by the state department today. They are not held as "hostages," it is officially stated, but their position yet may lead to serious embarrassment. Germany simply withheld the passports of any American officials for the present, according to the information received.

A large number of Americans were able to get to the neutral countries before the present action was taken, but it is understood that none of those at present in Germany will be allowed to leave before certain matters now under consideration are cleared up.

The action was not taken as a precaution for the fate of the German ambassador Bernstorff, the officials say. It followed the receipt of the news that the United States had actually seized German war-bound ships. Ambassador Page at London cabled the state department that German interests there were taken over by the Swiss minister.

Pushing Legislation.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The house planned to pass before adjournment tonight the Naval appropriation bill. The chief measures in this bill will be to put the United States in readiness to defend its rights on seas at the present crisis.

Arm American Liners.

London, Feb. 8.—Preliminary steps for the arming of the American liners, St. Louis, St. Paul and Lapland were taken today.

Bolivia Is With Us.

London, Feb. 8.—A Reuter dispatch from Lapaz stated that an announcement was made by the Bolivan foreign minister and his government would support the United States' attitude on the submarine question.

To Define U. S. Position.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Senator McCumber of North Dakota, introduced a resolution asking the president to have the attorney general submit a statement clearly refining the position of the United States on limiting

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THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; much colder tonight, colder south and east central Friday; fresh northerly winds.

Song Recital Tonight-- First M. E. Church 8:15 o'clock
BESSE GATES HALL, Lyric Contralto
FRED LEWIS HAKEL, Violinist
Tickets 35c and 25c

FERN TONIGHT—

"Night Shadows" —A 101 Bison 2-reel feature; a drama of mysterious shadows. A struggle in the dark and a thrilling demonstration.
Grace Cunard and Francis Ford in "THE ELUSIVE ENEMY" in 2 acts. A drama of intrigue and adventure, and the funniest komedy you ever saw, and different. Eddie Shields and a bunch of indians capturing an automobile and then things commenced to happen—in "The Oil Smeller."
—5 and 10 cents

Feature ToNight, 5 reels Feature
Paramount Pictures, With
ANNA PENNINGTON—Captivating and Fascinating in
SUSIE SNOWFLAKE
A Comedy Drama of Broadway
5c and 10c. **EMPIRE THEATRE** 5c and 10c.
Tomorrow Night—Gail Kane in "The Men She Married".

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For Assessor.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Lucian F. Yowell as a candidate for assessor of Polk township on the Democratic ticket subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

GERARD IS STILL ON GERMANY SOIL

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the use of the submarines.

Two Vessels Submarined.

London, Feb. 8.—The British steamships, Tuerinov, Dauntless and Hollinside were submarined today. Two of the crew on the Dauntless were killed.

Danish Sailors Killed.

Copenhagen, Feb. 8.—Dispatches state that seventeen Danish sailors were killed when the Larskus was sunk.

For Increased Manufactures

Washington, Feb. 8.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels, recommended the immediate doubling of the capacity of the torpedo manufacturing plant at Newport.

Safe Conduct for Bernstorff.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Acting for all of the Entente Allies France today notified the State Department that safe conduct would be granted to Ambassador Bernstorff and his suite. It is understood that this dismisses every possibility of the United States becoming involved in difficulties by the ambassador's return to Berlin. Arrangements have been completed for his sailing Tuesday on the Scandinavian vessel, Frederick 8.

Fear Bomb Plots.

New York, Feb. 8.—The liners St. Louis, St. Paul and the Lapland, were thoroughly searched for bombs today after the German sailors from an interned vessel of the Hamburg-American line were found hidden in the line piers.

Eyes Tested Free
Can we Help Your Eyes

We certainly can if they need Glasses.
It matters not what the defect may be, if it is amenable to accurately adjusted Glasses we can correct it for you.
Come in at once and let us test your eyes.

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JEWELER OPTICIAN
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A MARYVILLE MAN'S EXPERIENCE

Can You Doubt the Evidence of This Maryville Citizen?

You can verify Maryville indorsement.

Read this:

J. N. Bryan, retired farmer, 222 Eleventh street, Maryville, says: "At one time I was having trouble from my back and kidneys. I had an intense soreness just through the small of my back which gave me great pain when I tried to bend over or straighten up quickly. My kidneys acted so frequently that it weakened me. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and bought some from Love & Gaugh's drug store. Right from the first I found relief and as I continued using them I was entirely relieved of that trouble. It has been quite awhile now since I have needed to use Doan's Kidney Pills so I know the benefit is lasting."

50c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Garden Products From Houston.

Mrs. L. W. Greathouse received a large box of garden truck from Houston, Tex., this morning sent by Mrs. William Shecter, who was a visitor at the Greathouse home for a time this winter. In the box were the choicest products of the Texas garden, including lettuce, onions, and parsley.

Just in—

New Spring Styles in House Dresses

—Arrived Yesterday

A large shipment, including all sizes from 34 to 51.

These dresses are the famous DECATUR MAID garments which insures perfect fitting, workmanship and quality.

Prices Reasonable

Remus Mercantile Co.

PICKERING ITEMS

Mrs. George Proctor was a visitor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Gray this week.

Charley Wagner is in Kansas City taking instructions in automobile repairing. He intends to stay until spring.

Star Carmichael of Maryville is visiting in Pickering this week.

C. C. Hood was in Maryville on business Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Long moved to Pickering Saturday from Clearmont. She is making her home with her brother, Dick Burch.

Miss Josie Sadler was in Hopkins on business Saturday.

Miss Amanda Dalrymple was a guest at the home of her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dalrymple Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Jennie Morin visited over Sunday with Miss Vern McKee.

Mrs. Ernest Thull went to Maryville Tuesday to visit her mother, Mrs. Bagby.

Misses Addie and Clara Dalrymple were in Maryville on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Donahue was a guest at the home of E. A. Dalrymple Monday.

HOPKINS MAN IN THE NAVY.

Charles McIntire, Sr., Interested in the Orders of Navy Department.

Charles McIntire Sr., is a former member of the United States navy, the only one we believe in Hopkins, and the orders from the Navy Department at Washington are of peculiar interest to him. The officer in charge of the United States Naval recruiting station in St. Louis, has sent orders to all former members of the navy in Missouri and Illinois, notifying them to hold themselves in readiness to leave for St. Louis on short notice upon receipt of notice from headquarters.

In addition, similar orders have been sent to naval reserves. It will require a week or ten days to mobilize the Missouri naval reserves in case the order comes, according to Gerhardt Schwartz, commanding officer, because one-half of them would have to undergo examination, take the federal oaths and be formally mustered into service.

PEACE MAKERS TO CONVENE.

League Will Meet At Jefferson City On February 22.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Feb. 8.—The statewide convention of the League to Enforce Peace will be held in this city on February 22. State Chairman Frederick N. Judson has accepted the offer of the Missouri House of Representatives tendering its chamber to the League, and has issued a call for the convention.

At the convention the delegates will discuss ways and means by which the nations of the world will be forced to submit their differences to a board of arbitration instead of taking recourse to arms.

Mrs. Frank Perry Moves.

In the report of the change of addresses yesterday it was stated that Mrs. Mary Gibson had moved from 210 West Third street to 121½ West Third street. Instead it was her daughter, Mrs. Frank Perry, who changed her location.

Mr. Dixon Sells Farm.

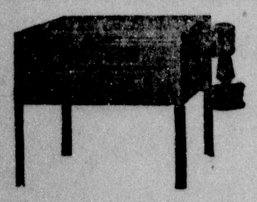
Emery Dixon, who recently sold his farm near Parnell, has bought a farm of 640 acres near Atkison, Neb., and will move there in March.

Homer Ogden Better.

Homer Ogden, who has been quite ill for the past week, is reported as improved today. The young man had both knees injured while playing a basketball game last week and infection resulted.

Vincent Quinn, who has been seriously ill at his home with bronchial pneumonia, is reported improving today

Why Order the Old Trusty Incubator from the factory when you can get it from our store at the same price? Guaranteed in perfect working order and no risk from breaking from shipping. We have the 100, 150 and 200 egg in stock and at the following prices. We will deliver to you nearest railroad station.



100 to 120 egg $10 85
150 to 175 egg $14.45
200 to 250 egg $18.75

The present nigh cost of eggs makes it very important that you have an incubator that will hatch the greatest percentage of fertile eggs. For 15 years the Old Trusty has maintained this record and hence has become the incubator from which the standard of incubation is judged, and the price is less than any other standard make. Let us show you the Old Trusty construction that you may thoroughly understand why it has earned its present high standard of efficiency.

H. C. BOWER
— West Side Hardware

Use
Black Silk Stove Polish
"A Shine in Every Drop"
Get a can today from your hardware or grocery dealer.
BLACK SILK
STOVE POLISH

THIRTEEN MISSING

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56,600 tons for two days, or destruction at the rate of 850,000 tons a month.

To Keep Sailings Secret.

Hereafter the American government will seek to have kept secret the fact of the departure of vessels for the war zone in order not to invite unnecessary risks. The Treasury Department has previously issued strict instructions against the publication of manifests, and every effort will be made from now on to allow as little information as possible to find its way to German submarine commanders.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Remus'
Friday and Saturday
Grocery List

Extra Fancy Bleached Seedless Raisins, lb. 20c
Extra Large Fancy Evaporated Peaches, lb. 35c
Ginger Snaps in bulk, lb. 10c
Pocket Book Brand, Fancy Shoe Peg Corn, 2 cans 35c
Frontier Brand Sifted June Peas, 2 cans 25c
Kentucky Maid Brand Baked Beans in Tomato Sauce, No. 2 size cans 2 for 25c
Flaked Hominy in bulk, 5 lbs.. ..... 25c
Cracked Hominy in bulk, 6 lbs. 25c
Shelled Rice Pop Corn, per lb 5c
Bulk Rice, Fancy Head, 4 lbs. 25c
3 pkgs. Skinner Macaroni 25c
Good Size Irish Mackerel, each 10c
8-lb Pail Lake Fish 75c
Large pkg Jack Frost prepared buckwheat flour 25c
Large sacks fresh corn meal 25c
Good quality Imperial Tea in bulk, per lb 35c
Grape Fruit is fine, 3 large fruit for 25c
Evaporated Muir peaches, per pound 10c
Large can Old Home pumpkin 10c
3 pkgs Rub No More washing powder 10c
4 cans Eagle powdered lye 25c

Remus Mercantile Company

TRAMPS ARE HIT HARD BY PROSPERITY WAVE

South Jersey Housewives Less Sympathetic Than In Former Years.

Glassboro, N. J.—High cost of living and high wages have combined to strike a stunning blow to the tramp fraternity in all parts of south Jersey, and police officials report that the panhandlers are much scarcer than usual this winter.

The general prosperity all over the country is said by the authorities to have been most effective in thinning the ranks of the nomads and in keeping the county jails and town free from the usual crowd of "winter boarders."

In past winters it has happened frequently that the small towns in this region have been overrun with the vagrants, who have camped out in the woods and along the railroad lines until severe weather drove them into town to seek shelter in the lockups. There is still a part of this itinerant class which applies to the police for shelter in the jail cells overnight, but few of them linger longer than a day or two, being headed, the police say, toward the munition plants along the river front and to other industrial centers in search of odd jobs.

Food is so high and jobs so plentiful that the housewives are less sympathetic than has been their habit in past years.

POLICEMAN TAKEN ILL, WIFE TOURS HIS BEAT

In Husband's Uniform Frees Captive Who Made Plea His Family Was Starving.

Trenton, N. J.—In all the length of Bloomingdale, N. J., from the Susquehanna railroad crossing to the bridge that spans the turbulent Pequannock river, there is no more martial figure than Patrolman Foster Hargraves. No one appears to better advantage in the brass buttons and blue of the force—except perhaps Mrs. Hargraves.

In all the above described limits of the town no one holds the honor of the police department more highly than Patrolman Foster Hargraves—except perhaps Mrs. Hargraves.

One night recently her husband, who works as the village's law guardian from 4 in the afternoon until midnight, was seized with a hard chill at 9 o'clock. He stuck it out as long as he could and then appeared at his home, teeth chattering and face hot with fever.

Mrs. Hargraves put him to bed. When he had fallen asleep she took his uniform and slipped into her room. A few minutes later another policeman stepped out of the Hargraves home and tramped away through the sleet storm.

Mrs. Hargraves walked her husband's beat until midnight. More than that, she arrested a suspicious character—a man whom she had seen slinking away along the railroad track.

"But he said that he had a starving wife and children in New York," she explained naively, "so I let him go."

CRADLE OF AZTEC RACE.

Prehistoric Settlements In New Mexico Reveal Pictures of Extinct Animals.

Tucson, Ariz.—Relics of huge settlements of a prehistoric race of highly civilized Indians who built great dams and irrigated desert land in the southwestern corner of New Mexico have been found by Ranger Don S. Sullivan, who reported his discovery to the forestry headquarters here.

His report has been forwarded to the American Archaeological association. Picture writing which showed the dinosaur and the four toed horse was found on a crude paper made of reeds and on walls of caves.

Ranger Sullivan reported that he believed the settlements were the original dwellings of the Aztec race.

JOBS FOR HUNCHBACKS.

Normal Men Too Strong, Can't Use Girls, Says Chicago Firm.

Chicago. — In the help wanted columns was the ad., "Three hunchbacks wanted; easy work; steady and profitable, if competent."

Inquiry developed that the cripples were wanted to operate machines in an envelope factory, where delicacy of touch is required.

Said one of the firm seeking men: "Girls have been operating these machines. Now we must operate night as well as day and cannot employ women for the night work. A normal man is too strong and is apt to be too clumsy. A hunchback is generally a delicate worker."

FIVE CENTS FOR LUNCHES, HE FLED TO TRENCHES

New York.—Five cents for his midday meal, 10 cents for church and a cent for charity was the allowance which Leon Scradynski of New York said his wife gave him during the years they were saving to buy a home. He sued for an accounting of money left with her when he went to fight for Russia. The jury found in the wife's favor.

Important News—

Don't forget the Big Bargains We are offering in Laces—*on sale Friday Morning at 9 o'Clock.*

Haines
THE STORE THAT HAS IT CHEAPER.
By the Bunch without the Boss.

"SUSIE SNOWFLAKE" TONIGHT

Miss Ann Pennington Makes Huge Success in Paramount Films At the Empire.

"Susie Snowflake," which is the Paramount picture at the Empire theatre tonight, is a happy choice on the part of the Famous Players, for it is in itself a story of the musical comedy world. During the course of this tale Miss Pennington does all the clever little things on the screen which have won her a country-wide reputation on the stage. For the screening of this delightful subject, a perfect replica of a typical musical comedy theatre, with stage and orchestra complete, was erected in the producer's studio, and an entire play was enacted before the camera.

Miss Pennington's diminutive stature, her tremendous black eyes, her indescribably appealing personality and her genuine histrionic ability — which have already won her the foremost rank among musical comedy stage stars—will unquestionably assure her an equal success on the screen. There is something irresistibly appealing about "Susie," and Miss Pennington has caught the charm of this little dancer who scandalizes her maidenly aunts and sets a whole town agog when she brings her Broadway ideals into the community. But there is a lot of real character and unswerving loyalty in "Susie," as she proves when she is put to the test.

In support of Miss Pennington, the Famous Players have gathered several prominent players, among them Leo Delaney, William Courtleigh, Jr., William Butler, Marcia Harris and Billie Wilson.

Don't sign your name to an agent's order for nursery stock when you can buy true to name stock near home. State inspected, fully guaranteed direct from the reliable Murray Nurseries of Oregon, Mo., and save agents' commissions.

NEW LAW FOR FLAGMEN

Will Have to Be Able to Speak, Read And Write English Language If Measure Goes Through.

Jefferson City, Feb. 8.—Railway flagmen in the state of Missouri will have to be able to speak, read and write the English language if a measure presented by Senator Moore, of Barton, is enacted into law. The Senate has just engrossed the bill, after adopting an amendment striking out a provision of the measure which required flagmen to be citizens of the United States.

The Senate Ways and Means committee submitted a favorable report on the bill of Senator Stark, which changes the entire chapter on assessment and collection of revenue by making taxes due the year they are assessed. The passage of this act would mean that the assessors shall commence making assessments in March and shall complete their work by June 1. Real estate must be assessed every year.

Public service corporations and railroads must be valued by the state Esualization board in February instead of June, July and August. Under the present laws, property is valued one year for the taxes of the following year. The measure is to become effective March 1, 1918.

James A. Jackson, 50 years old, a farmer near Willow Springs, died at a hospital in St. Joseph Tuesday night. The body was taken to Bolckow, his former home, for burial.

A teachers and patrons' meeting of Hopkins, Union and North Independence townships, will be held at Hopkins Saturday at the high school building. County Superintendent Bert Cooper will attend the meeting.

Henry Toel has returned from Maryville, where he was a guest with Mr. Forrest Hanna of Kansas City, of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna.—St. Joseph Gazette.

BAPTISTS IN CONVENTION

Six Prominent Missionaries Guests of Honor at Two-Day Session Held At Moberly.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Moberly, Mo., Feb. 8.—The Baptist churches here today closed a two-days' convention in the First Baptist church, at which six prominent missionaries were the guests of honor.

The honor guests are Missourians and are graduates of William Jewell College at Liberty. They are:

Dr. Frank White, president of the Shanghai Baptist College; Dr. John Proctor, dean of the department of Theology in the same school; Dr. Everette Gill, who has charge of the Baptist work in Italy; Rev. J. P. Stuart, associated with Dr. Gill; Dr. M. D. Eubank and Dr. John W. Lowe, medical missionaries in China.

These men are making a tour of the most important cities of the state.

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50 bushels of Good Ben Davis Apples per peck 25c
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Extra fine Calif. Cauliflower, per pound 15c
Libby's Asparagus (whole spears) 2 cans 25c
Van Camps No. 4 Tomatoes (finest packed), per can 20c
Solid packed No. 3 size Tomatoes, per can 15c
No. 2 size cans High Grade Tomatoes, per can 10c
No. 1 size Tomatoes, 2 cans 15c
State of Maine Corn (where the best comes from), bran new goods, 20c regular price, per can 13c
No. 2 cans Fine String Beans only 10c
No. 2 cans (Little Admiral), extra sifted Sweet Tender Peas. Our 20c quality per tin 14c
No. 2 cans Early June Peas, 2 cans for 15c
Van Camps (packs the best Hominy) 3lb a large sanitary cans, only 10c
Hominy, choice Indiana pack, quart cans, 2 for 15c
Sweet Potatoes quart cans, only 10c

* 2 doz. Calif Naval Oranges 25c *
* Every one sound and sweet, but small in size. *
* Extra large Grape Fruit, 2 for only ..... 15s *

2 cans Finest Medium Red Salmon 29c
2 cans (25c) Red Alaska Salmon 35c
Pink Salmon, No. 1 tall cans, each 10c
No. 1 cans diced Pineapple, 2 for 15c
Fine for Fruit Cocktail, Sherbert, etc. Sandwich Tuna Fish, per tin 10c
50 lb cans Pure Hog Lard $8.50
50 lb cans Lard Compound $7.50
Fancy Large Dried Peaches, 2 pounds for 25c
White Borax Naptha Soap, 10 bars 34c
¼ lb Sealed Package Ceylon Tea 15c
Genuine White Fish (fancy, thick, meaty, bran new goods) per lb 15c
Lake Fish in Pails 65c
B & M Codfish Flakes, 2 cans 15c
Blind Robins, whole, box 25c
Mexican Pinto Beans (mighty good eating), per lb 10c
Choice Mixed Cookies, per lb 15c
Choice Ginger Snaps, 2½lb 25c
Fresh Parsnips or Carrots, 7lb 25c
Fancy Red Globe Onions, per lb 10c
Good Celery, medium size 10c
Fresh Lettuce Every Day.
No. 2 cans Fancy Succotash 15c
No. 2 cans Lima Peans, 2 for 25c
3lb A No. 1 Rice for 15c
3lb New Made Pearl Hominy 10c
3lb Fresh Flaked Hominy 15c
3lb Fresh Rolled Oats 15c
3lb Steel Cut Oats 15c
Calif. Evaporated Apricots, per lb 20c
Gallon Can Apples 25c
No. 2 cans Whole Strawberries in syrup 15c
10c Package Jello or Ice Cream Powder 8c
Fresh Sweet Potatoes (good), per lb 5c
20c per peck for Good Walnuts.
20c per peck for Fresh Turnips.
A No. 1 Quality Cranberries, qt 8c

Townsend's Fourth and Main Streets

Deliveries leave Store 9 and 11 a. m. and 2:30 and 5 p. m.

Public Sale of Farm Lands In Partition

The farm belonging to the William S. Wallace estate, containing about three hundred and thirty-five acres, situated about one mile West of Clearmont, Missouri, will be sold at public sale at the Court House Door, in the city of Maryville, on

Saturday, February 10, 1917

For the purpose of settling said estate
This is one of the best farms in Nodaway County. Persons wanting to buy a good farm should investigate this land and attend the sale. Sale will take place at one o'clock p. m.

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To Spend Winter in Texas.

Prof. and Mrs. B. F. Duncan left this afternoon for Kansas City and Fort Worth, Tex., where they will spend the winter. Their son, John Duncan, lives in Kansas City, and their daughter, Mrs. S. V. Dooley resides at Fort Worth.

MAY BE PAROLED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Joliet, Feb. 9.—George Mears, who escaped prison today after serving twenty-five years on the charge of murder, has been recommended for a parole.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

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Mrs. Charles Married.

Mrs. Zilpha Charles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shockley, south of Maryville, and Charles W. Shinabargar of Maryville, were married yesterday in St. Joseph.

Homemakers Meet.

The Homemakers' class of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. M. L. Hopper Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A good attendance is desired.

Kemps Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kemp entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night at their home on North Avenue, the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp and daughter, Greta, and son, Harold.

Costello's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Costello were host and hostess at a 6 o'clock dinner given last night at their home on South Buchanan street. Their guests were: Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sanders and daughter, Marion, Mrs. Mary Costello, and Mrs. M. E. Farrar.

For Miss Stahl.

Mrs. M. L. Beattie entertained five tables of bridge yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Vena Stahl of Liberty, Nebr., who is visiting Miss Dorothy Pierce. High score was won by Mrs. A. Swike and the guest prize went to Miss Stahl. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

To Give Cafeteria Luncheon.

The people of Skidmore, under the leadership of the Parent-Teachers' association and the Neighborly club, will give a cafeteria luncheon tomorrow night in the basement of the Methodist church. The proceeds will be used for manual training equipment and other progressive movements in the school.

Mrs. Henry Wright, Hostess.

Mrs. Henry Wright was hostess to the I. X. L. Embroidery club yesterday afternoon. Twenty members and two visitors, Mrs. Gray and Mrs. Douglas, were present. Several piano selections were given by Mrs. Douglas. The afternoon was spent socially, and light refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Eugene Rathbun.

Penelope Club Meets.

The Penelope club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles McNeal. Sixteen members and two visitors were present at the meeting. The visitors were Mrs. Frank Terhune and daughter, Margaret. During the afternoon a comfort for Mrs. McNeal was tacked. A dainty two-course luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. James Cook and Mrs. John Price.

Ravenwood Philathea Class.

The Philathea Sunday School class of the Methodist church of Ravenwood met at the home of Miss Fay Bishop, at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Following the business session refreshments were served by Mrs. Will Bishop. Those present were: Mrs. Taylor Crater, Mrs. R. M. Wetzel, Miss Marguerite Logan, Miss Wavie Rahlston, Miss Lora Proctor, Miss Fay Bishop, and Mrs. F. G. Graf.

Surprise for Miss Mutz.

Miss Lou Mutz was pleasantly surprised, when a number of her school friends gathered at her home last night to help her to celebrate her birthday anniversary. The young people enjoyed games and music and afterwards formed a line party to the Empire theatre. The following were present: Misses Mary Angell, Mary Crowson, Lorena Kirch, Esther Deitz, Erma Green, Cecil Fraser, Anice Neal and Marie Landfather.

Hostesses at Party.

Misses Hazel Teson, Amy Barrett, Florence Jordon, Hildred Goslee and Letta Rodman were hostesses at a party given last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curfman on West First street.

Various games furnished amusements for the evening. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The guests were: Misses Vada Foland, Lenola Mitchell, Gladys Ford, Jennie Jenkins, Hazel Hart, Mary Barrett, Katherine Ordnung, Opal Hart, Martha James and Myrtle Wells.

Guests at Hutchison Home.

The Rev. and Mrs. Hutchison entertained at 5 o'clock dinner Tuesday evening at their home in Pickering, their guests being Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Dayhoff and the teachers of the public schools, namely, Prof. H. Garrett and his sister, Mrs. Forcade, Miss Cora Gehr, Miss Evans and Miss Ramey. The guests came to the dining room and found their places by place cards, their names being on one side and a conundrum on the other. These conundrums were discussed and answered between courses. After dinner the guests were invited to the parlors and the evening was spent in an informal way.

For Mrs. Robert Wolfers.

Mrs. Ed R. Brown entertained Tuesday afternoon with a domino party, complimentary to Mrs. Robert Wolfers of New York. The prize, a beautiful hand-painted dish, went to Mrs. W. R. Graham, while the consolation prize was won by Mrs. W. L. Moorhead. A two-course luncheon was served. Those invited were Mrs. Robert Wolfers, of New York; Mrs. C. E. Donlin, Mrs. E. C. Wolfers Sr., Mrs. J. E. Appleton, Mrs. Fred Demott, Mrs. A. F. Mutti, Mrs. H. C. Clutter, Mrs. R. B. Luce, Mrs. Anna Keith, Mrs. C. W. Kirk, Mrs. W. R. Graham, Miss Eva Brainard, Mrs. H. A. Dalby, Mrs. Fred Herbert, Mrs. Fred Wooldridge, Mrs. W. L. Moorhead and Mrs. Roy Wolfers, of Pickering.—Hopkins Journal.

C. C. Circle Meets.

The C. C. Circle met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. B. Yates of Burlington Junction. The meeting was well attended. Two visitors, Mrs. Charles Finnell and Mrs. Holmes Yates and her little daughter, Helen, were present. The subject for discussion was "The Ozarks." Mrs. Mark Hiles read an interesting paper on the "Products of the Ozarks," and also read a letter from that section of the state. Two solos, "Missouri" and "I Want to Go Back to Missouri," were given by Mrs. A. B. Yates, and Mrs. Mark Hiles sang, "America for Me." In connection with this meeting a shower was given for the little baby daughter of Mrs. Yates. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Cris Bears.

Dittmar-Bollinger Wedding.

Last Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock p. m., in St. Joseph, Justice of Peace John W. Wilson, officiating, Miss Frances A. Dittmar and Harry W. Bollinger, both of Hopkins, were united in marriage, the only guests present being Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Davis, of Kansas City, Mo., Mr. Davis being an uncle of the bride. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. C. A. Dittmar and has been an operator at the Hopkins Hanamo central during the past two years, her efficiency and genial manner winning for her the esteem of everybody. The groom is a son of Mrs. D. D. Bollinger and is a well-known and prosperous young farmer.

The young couple will make their home on his farm, 5 miles east of this city, and have the best wishes of many friends.—Hopkins Journal.

Surprise for Mr. and Mrs. Moody.

The members of the Lasher Homemaking Circle planned and successfully carried out a surprise party last night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Moody west of Maryville. Games and music were enjoyed during the evening and at a late hour an elaborate luncheon was served. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. James Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Masters, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrow, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gault, Mr. and Mrs. George McMurry, Mr. and Mrs. McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swinford, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deneen, Mr. and Mrs. James McGinness, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strauch, Misses Margaret Hopper, Blanche Curnutt, Lucile Masters, Ella O'Grady, Marie, Pearl and Dorothy Deneen, Margaret, and Ssther McMurry, Lorena Gault, Thelma and Roma McGinness, Doris and Claudine Swinford; Ward Stevenson, Howard Watson, Vern Curnutt, Howard Masters, Will Strauch, Howard McFarland, Paul Kenneth Swinford, Glen and Merrill McGinness, Wilbur and Byron Stevenson and Wilson and George McMurry.

Miller-Jobe Wedding.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at high noon yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Miller, near Parnell, when their daughter, Miss Lena became the bride of William Jobe, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jobe of Sheridan. The ceremony was read by the Rev. Mr. Kemper, pastor of the Methodist church of Parnell, the ring service being used. The bride wore an exquisitely dainty gown of pearl colored crepe de chine with trimmings of satin and lace. Her slippers were of white satin. Miss Lottie Bird and Elias Echterling attended the couple as bridesmaid and best man. Miss Hazel Miller, cousin of the bride played the wedding march. Immediately after the ceremony an elaborate wedding dinner was served. A color scheme of pink and white was carried out in the decorations as well as in the menu for the dinner. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jobe, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jobe, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Hubble, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Day, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Aldrich, Chester Winemiller, Miss Minnie Barber, Elias Echterling, and Clive Carroll. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the couple. Last night a charivari was given in honor of the newlyweds, which was followed by a miscellaneous shower by the girls of the K. K. K. club.

Thompson'ss Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Thompson of Ravenwood entertained at 6 o'clock dinner yesterday evening. Plates were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McMillen and Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Crawford of Osceola, Ia.

Baptist Missionary Tea.

The parlors of the Baptist church were the scene of a delightful tea, given by the members of the Woman's Missionary society of the church last night. A varied and successful program was given, beginning at 7:30 o'clock "America," was first sung by the members of the society and prayer was lead by the Rev. T. H. Wiles, pastor. A hymn, "The Morning Light is Breaking," was followed by a talk by Mrs. W. A. Burris, president of the society, who gave a brief resume of the work of the society in 1916 and of the plans for service in 1917.

Mrs. Alec Fraser led the devotions and the assembly then listened to a duet by Maurice Fitzgerald and his sister, Mrs. Smith of Wichita, Kan. Mrs. Eugene Ogden gave an illuminating description of the boyhood of Judson, the great Baptist Missionary, and her talk was followed by a solo sung by Miss Mary Wallace.

The debate: "Resolved that Foreign Missions are More Important than Home Missions," was thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

Miss Ada Albert and Mrs. Bruce Montgomery most ably presented the affirmative arguments and Mrs. G. B. Holmes and Miss Katherine Helwig supported the negative side. The judges, Pref. E. L. Harrington, Prof. S. E. Davis and Mrs. H. A. Miller, had a hard time agreeing on the winners, but finally decided in favor of the negative side.

While waiting for the judges to make their decision Mr. Wiles gave an address, and a quartet from Mrs. H. A. Miller's Sunday School class, consisting of Misses Ora Quinn, Mary Wallace, Viva Cloud and Mabel Foreman gave some pleasing selections. Miss Lucile Holmes delighted the audience with an instrumental solo, after which a social hour was enjoyed. This part of the evening was in charge of Miss Orril Helwig, Mrs. G. W. Hempstead, Mrs. G. B. Holmes and Mrs. L. P. James, who served light refreshments and arranged for a general good time.

BURNED BY HOT BEANS.

Doctors Have Hopes for Recovery of 2-Year-Old Mildred Muir; Bolckow.

Bolckow, Mo., Feb. 8.—The condition of Mildred Muir, the 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Muir who was seriously burned Friday when a pan of hot beans was overturned on her head and hand, was such today as to give hope that she would recover, according to Dr. Logan Woods, the attending physician.

The accident happened when Mrs. Muir took a pan of beans from the oven of the stove and started with them to the table. The little girl, who had wandered into the room unknown to the mother, collided with her and Mrs. Muir dropped the beans, which covered the child's arm and neck. The Muirs live two miles west of here.

TO THE PUBLIC

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Spring 1917

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SOME ONE has advanced the opinion that the letter "E" is the most unfortunate character in the English Alphabet, because it is always out of cash, forever in debt, never out of danger and in hell all the time. But we call attention to the fact that "E" is never in war and always in peace. It is the beginning of existence, the commencement of ease and the end of trouble. Without it there would be no Valentine, no meat, no life, no Heaven. It is the center of honesty, makes love perfect, and there will be no regrets if you buy your Valentines of

Orear-Henry Drug Company

About Fred Wolfers.

They were waiting turns at the barber shop Saturday night when the discussion of different ones who have left Pickering to go out into the world to win fame, came up, and one good old soul who thinks more of Fred Wolfers than some men think of their wives, declared that the city attorneyship of Pickering should be offered Fred in an effort to coax him back here from the county seat.—Pickering Pick-Ups in Hopkins Journal.

Edwin Caldwell of Burlington Junction is in Maryville on business today.

Tom Cox of St. Joseph is in Maryville today on business.

Public Sale

Having decided to make a change in handling my farm I will sell at my place 3 miles east of Maryville, on

Monday, February 12

The following property:—

Angus Cows, Heifers and Calves

37 HEAD OF CATTLE—11 head of Angus cows, (extra godd), 2 with calves at foot now, others heavy springers; 12 head of high grade Angus yearling heifers to calf early; 12 head of choice early spring heifer calves; 1 yearling Angus steer; 1 2-year-old Angus bull.

17 HEAD OF HOGS—10 head of choice tried brood sows, due to pig about March 1st; 6 spring gilts, due to pig in April; 1 Registered O. I. C. boar.

1 PAIR OF GRAY HORSES—An extra good work pair, weight 3100.

LUNCH by Edwards' Cafe.

IMPLEMENTS—Wagon; mower; John Deere low down manure spreader; top buggy; 2 cultivators and some other articles. All implements are in good condition. Will also sell some oats and hay.

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I AM OFFERING all or part of 1,000 bu. good yellow corn at the crib at $1.00 per bu. No dead beats need apply as cash and cash only takes it away. This offer expires at 12 o'clock noon on March 1, 1917. First call. Cal McKibban. 8-9

BARBER SHOP, 209 East Third — Shave, 10; haircut, 25c and Saturday shave, 15c. Viles & Clouser, barbers. 8-10*

FOR new or old work see me for special prices. Ryks Plumbing Co. south side square. Hanamo 270.

FOUND—2 shirts, boy's size. Owner may have by identifying and paying for this ad. Call Han. 238. 6-8

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

NOTICE—After March 1, I will be located on the corner of Market and Third in the Kane building. All parties having goods stored with me, please look after same at once. Respectfully, R. S. Braniger. 6-10

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Mare, weight between 1,200 and 1,300 lbs., bred to Roelofson's draft horse, broke in all harness. Call Hanamo 6267. 6-8*

FOR SALE—Touring car at a bargain, good condition. See it at Clark's Machine Shop. 5-10*

FOR SALT—21 black calves. Call Ira Thackrey, Parnell, Mo., or J. W. Herndon, Maryville, Mo. 6-8*

FOR SALE—Good jack. "General Knox." Will take late model car or stock as part payment. Otto Risser, Farmers phone 39-14. 6-8

FOR SALE OR RENT—At $10.00 per month, the Bostick property, corner Vine and Grant, 6-room house with 4 lots, good cave and outbuildings. Call Peter Groppe, 815 South Vine street. 6-8*

NATIVE LUMBER FOR SALE—About 20,000 feet or more on the James Robinson farm on Platte river about half way between Conception Junction and Ravenwood. Am prepared to fill bills of most any kind, either for barn frames, house frames, blacksmith's wagon tongues, axles, etc. Call at mill or phone J. E. Wyatt, Arkoe. 22tf.

FOR SALE—Two desirable residence lots, close in, 1½ blocks east of square on East Third street. Elmer Fraser. 5tf

FOR SALE—The Johnson residence, eight rooms, lights, bath, water, two lots, fruit and barn. Second place west Central school, Maryville, Mo. Address Walter E. Johnson, Pickering, Mo., 13tf.

For Rent.

FOR RENT — Seven-room house. Close in. J. A. Ford. 20tf.

Wanted.

WANTED—Two experienced married men want work on farm. Inquire at Democrat-Forum. 7-9*

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-tf

WANTED—Old False Teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 3-24*

WANTED—A woman for general housework. Call Hanamo 1L. 8-10

WANTED—Second hand Royal Typewriter No. 5. Must be cheap. Leave address at Democrat-Forum office. 8-10*

WANTED—To buy farm of 200 acres within 2 miles of some town in county. Will pay cash. Hanamo 605, Farmers, 14. 8-10*

Miss Beryle Bishop of Bedison is shopping in Maryville today.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bell went to St. Joseph on business yesterday.

PARNELL ITEMS

Miss Minnie Barber went to Sheridan Friday where she will visit for a few days at the Ad Croy home.

Frank Logan returned to South Dakota Wednesday where he will remain for several months to work.

Miss Marie Rogers of Ravenwood and Miss Iva Fish were Saturday dinner guests of the Misses Lola and Minnie Barber.

E. K. Brown returned from Galloway, Wis., Wednesday where he had been attending to business matters.

Earl Addy, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Alvis Robison, at her home at Pecos Valley, N. M., returned Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Bloomfield returned Monday from Guilford, where she had been visiting for several days. She attended the wedding anniversary of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Huston Wilson, while there.

Miss Rose Wilmes visited home folks at Bedison Sunday and Monday. Her sister, Miss Anna Wilmes, returned with her for a few days visit.

Mrs. Byrd Fronk, operator, and S. O. Miller, director of the Parnell telephone exchange, attended the annual telephone meeting at Worth Friday.

Joe Tanner came up from St. Joseph Monday to visit his sister, Mrs. Louisa Klaas.

Theodore Logan and Charley Harman have rented the new cement building of T. C. Duke for a garage and repair shop. They expect to move in some time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spire entertained Monday night in honor of Miss Nellie Beardsley and Harry Hazzard of Winna, S. D., and Romain Erdmann of Rochester, Wis. Games and music furnished entertainment for the evening. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Gertrude Spire. About twenty-six guests were entertained.

The following are the officers of the Literary society that has been recently organized by the High School; President, Miss Mildred Hall; vice-president, Seth Herndon; secretary and treasurer, Miss Louie Harris, sergeant-at-arms, Miss Helen Welch. The first meeting was held at the school building Friday, January 26.

Rev. Idlephonse Kuhn has taken possession of the new parsonage and hereafter will be a resident of Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gieskin entertained Tuesday night in honor of their tenth wedding anniversary. Music was furnished by Mrs. Irvin Clutter and Bud Milligan. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bird Milligan, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Clutter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Phillips, Mrs. Harvey Milligan, Misses Opal Milligan, Virginia Frede, Irene Defreece, Olivia and Hester Milligan; Charley, Vollie and Jess Wynn and Adrian and Moncise Milligan.

Roy Curry returned Thursday from a few days visit with friends at Sheridan.

Mrs. Clara Clint and Mrs. L. E. Dowis returned from Excelsior Springs Saturday after about a month's stay for the benefit of their health.

John Stutesman Sr., of Sheridan, visited his son, Lewis Stutesman and family the first of the week.

Mrs. Sarah Malone returned to her home at Glenburn, S. D., Wednesday, after a visit with relatives and friends.

Frederick Breit Sr., of Barnard, came Monday for a several days visit with his son, F. R. Breit and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McCrery and Tom McCrery were in Grant City Wednesday.

Newt Evans of Stanby, N. D., arrived here Tuesday morning for a visit with his father, C. C. Evans, who has been quite sick.

Sam Judkins of Omaha, Neb., visited in Parnell Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Judkins was formerly a resident of this place.

Mrs. M. T. Falkner went to St. Joseph Tuesday for a visit with her son, Clarence and family.

Miss Edna Reed, who has been visiting with Arch Woods and family was called to North Platte, Neb., to nurse an uncle.

Rex Lincoln, who has been visiting in Guilford for the past few weeks, returned Tuesday.

Frank Woods of Nebraska, is here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Hughes returned to their home at Dana, Ia., after a few days visit with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Addy.

Freemont Hewitt, who has been visiting his cousin Ed Simmons and family left Wednesday for Des Moines, Ia. and different points where he will visit before returning to his home at Seward, Alaska.

Mrs. Sarah Mcatee left Tuesday for Melbourne, where she will remain for a ten days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Goff and Miss Della Wright of Grant City came Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Goff's brother, Art Huff and family.

Henry Frede left Tuesday for Watson, Mo., to visit his brother, Bill Frede.

B. B. Slagle of Worth, was in Parnell Wednesday enroute to Bakersville, Calif., where he expects to remain for an indefinite length of time.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, February 7, 1917.

Men.

Cook, Harry
Hall, L. J.
Harris, H. I.
Tolbert, Lee
Tribbelt, Ross

Women.

Ankrum, Mrs. Fred L.
Archer, Miss Pearl
Brewer, Miss Bessie
Brazzel, Miss Eva
Carmichael, Mrs. Margarett
Kelley, Mrs. Jessie (2)
Rhea, Mrs. Etta
Sager, Mrs. L. M.
Wykert, Nellie

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

Respectfully,
JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

MARYVILLE ASTONISHED BY MERCHANT'S STORY.

A merchant relates the following: "For years I could not sleep without turning every hour. Whatever I ate caused gas and sourness. Also had stomach catarrh. ONE SPOONFUL buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka relieved me INSTANTLY." Because Adler-i-ka flushes the ENTIRE alimentary tract it relieves ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has QUICKEST action of anything we ever sold. The Koch Pharmacy.

A MILLER FOR 39 YEARS.

William Chaney of Hopkins, Retires After Successful Career.

Being a miller for thirty-nine years is the record of William Chaney, of Hopkins, nineteen of the thirty-nine being spent as head miller in the Wolfers Mercantile flouring mills of this city. Having decided that he "had served his time," Mr. Chaney resigned his position the first of the month and his brother, Richard Chaney, familiarly known as "Silver Dick" has taken his place at the mill, he also having had sufficient experience to make him a capable man for the job. The retiring miller now expects to make a specialty of growing seed corn on his 32-acre farm, at the south edge of Hopkins, and this probably means that in the near future Hopkins will be boasting of a big seed house—Mr. Chaney says he does not expect to start such an enterprise but when he gets to handling seed corn he will naturally branch out—at least this has been the history of a lot of prominent seed men who started just as this man expects to start. Such an enterprise would be a good thing for Hopkins and the farmers of this territory.—Hopkins Journal.

A yearling Bronze turkey weighing 42 pounds was sold on the market at Milan last week by C. W. Bailey, of Liberty township for $9.24. This was almost as much as a fat hog would have brought a few years ago, says the Republican.

After being separated from all his relatives for 36 years, and having lost all trace of them, Henry Foss, who has resided at King City for many years, has found his long-lost family in Michigan and will leave shortly to join them. He is an old bachelor.

ROUGH ON RATS
Unbeatable Exterminator of Rats, Mice and Bugs
Used the World Over - Used by U.S. Government
The Old Reliable That Never Fails - 15c. 25c. At Druggists
THE RECOGNIZED STANDARD-AVOID SUBSTITUTES

PUBLIC SALE

As I have decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction 1¾ miles south of Orrsburg and 1¾ miles north of Harmony Church, on

Wednesday, February 14

The following described property:

HORSES—Span mare mules, coming 3 and 4 years old, well broke; black horse coming 4 years old, weight 1500; bay mare, 5 years old, weight 1100.

11 HEAD OF CATTLE—6 first-class milch cows, will freshen soon, 2 coming 2-year-old heifers to be fresh in March; 3 spring calves.

2 HOGS, weight about 175 lbs. About 6 tons hay; stack oat straw.

IMPLEMENTS—Set blacksmith tools, wagon, buggy, 14-18 disc, walking cultivator, 14-inch stirring plow, mowing machine, cream separator.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Malleable steel range, improved King Bee heater, kitchen cabinet, dining table, 5 chairs, 2 rockers, 9x12 Axminster rug; 3 bedsteads; 2 cupboards; 2 stand tables; dresser. These articles are good as new.

Canned Fruit, apples, and potatoes, can of lard, barrel of meat. Four thoroughbred Rose Comb Wyandotte cockerels.

TERMS—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months on approved security, bearing 8 per cent from date of sale. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

Chas. Evans, Auct.
S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

Geo. Schweikhardt

Public Sale

Having sold my farm I will sell at public sale at my residence, known as the Jerry Albright farm, 5 miles northeast of Skidmore, 5 miles southeast of Quitman, 8½ west and 1½ miles south of Maryville, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m., on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1917

The following property:

15 HORSES AND MULES—Consisting of 1 bay mare, 8 years old, bred to jack; 1 span of mares, 7 and 12 years old, in foal by jack; 1 sorrel mare, 9 years old, wt. 1050 lbs.; 1 bay mare, 8 years old, wt. 950 lbs., broke to all harness, good family horse; 1 sorrel horse, 5 years old, broke; 1 sorrel horse, 4 years old, unbroke; 1 3-year-old filly; 1 span 3-year-old fillies, unbroke; 1 2-year-old filly; 1 saddle bred horse, 3 years old, broke to all harness; 1 3-year-old bay gelding; 1 span weanling mules.

36 HEAD OF CATTLE—Consisting of 2 good milch cows, one a Jersey, both to be fresh in spring; 2 coming 2-year-old heifers, to be fresh in spring; 3 fat steers, coming 2 years old; 1 yearling heifer; 9 weanling steers; 16 weanling heifers; 2 fall calves; 1 highgrade, coming 2-year-old Shorthorn bull.

35 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of 10 brood sows, to farrow in spring; 1 sow with 8 pigs by side; 15 shoates weght from 60 to 90 pounds; 1 full blood Chesterwhite male hog.

About 1400 bushels of corn in crib; about 20 tons baled timothy and clover hay.

McCormick binder, Avery corn planter, 2 walking cultivators, John Deere lister, corn drill, 2-row go-devil, about 200 hedge posts.

TERMS—$10.00 and under, cash; On sums over $10 a credit of six months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note with 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

LUNCH by ladies of Centenary Church

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
W. S. Linville, Clerk.

F. C. Kelly

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.
Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Feb. 8. — WHEAT — May, $1.67⅜—; July, $1.42½.
CORN—May, 98½c; July, 97¼c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Feb. 8.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000; steers, $8.00@$11.50; cows, $5.10@$5.60.

HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; top, $12.20; bulk, $10.65@$12.15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000; market, steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—CATTLE—Receipts 7,500; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 46,000; market, 5c lower; top, $12.40.

SHEEP—Receipts, 9,000; Market, 5c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Feb. 8.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,000; market, 10c lower; top, $12.25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; Market, weak.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce Co.

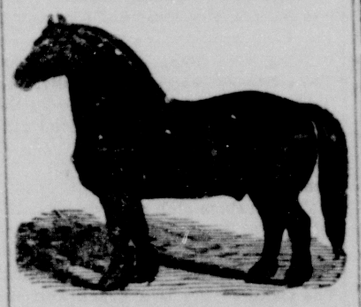
Butter Fat, per lb	33c
Eggs	33c
Hides, per lb	15c
Cocks	8c
Smooth Spring Chickens	16c
Hens, per lb	18c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c

Young Roosters according to value.

A King City kitchen fire was revived one cold day last week by the use of kerosene. The result was a narrow escape from death for the person using this drastic means of fire-building, and a call for the fire department.

Just Received a Spring Shipment of WALL PAPER
Arnett Decorating Co.
Take Advantage of the Low Prices Now

Horses and Mules WANTED



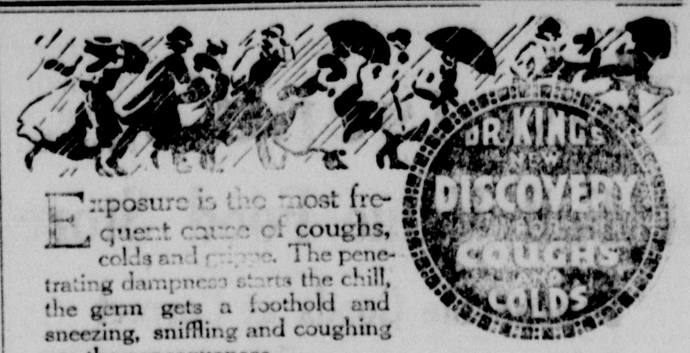
Will positively be at the

Star Barn

Every Saturday

Will buy draft horses, war horses, and Southern horses and mares. Also want some fat mules, any size and age.

Charles H. Roach



Exposure is the most frequent cause of coughs, colds and grippe. The penetrating dampness starts the chill, the germ gets a foothold and sneezing, sniffling and coughing are the consequences.

When you notice that grippy, stuffed-up feeling take Dr. King's New Discovery and stop its progress. The pure balsams in this old reliable cough and cold remedy soothe the sore throat, the antiseptic qualities cut the phlegm and kill the germ and the cold is quickly relieved.

Have a bottle handy for grippe, croup and bronchial coughs. You'll like it. Your druggist has sold it for years.

MRS. J. M. EPHLAND DIES.

Hopkins Woman Succumbs to A Complication of Diseases.

Mrs. J. M. Ephland died January 31, 1917, at her home, 5 miles northeast of Hopkins, the cause of her death being a complication of diseases. The deceased was about 54 years of age and leaves a husband and nine children to mourn for her, all but one of the children being present at the funeral.

Services were held at the home on Friday and burial took place in the Hopkins cemetery. Mrs. Ephland was a splendid woman and although a resident of this community but five years, she won for herself many friends who extend sympathy to the bereaved family.—Hopkins Journal.

Gallatin merchants have joined in the national pay-up campaign and will "help pass prosperity around."

Public Sale!

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public sale at the place, 1¼ miles south and ½ mile east of public square of Maryville, on

Saturday, Feb. 10, 1917

at 10 o'clock promptly

HORSES—2 black mares; 1 mare, 9 years old, broke to all harness; 1 filly, coming 3 years old, broke to double harness.

COWS—5 good Jersey cows, 3 fresh, others to freshen soon. All these cows test higher than 5 in butter fat.

HOGS—11 fall shoats. 5 or 6 dozen Leghorn hens.

About 50 bushels of corn and same of oats. About 4 tons of timothy hay, some Sudan and prairie hay.

IMPLEMENTS—Wagon, rubber tired top buggy, road wagon, hay frame, 6-foot McCormick mower, 10-foot harrow, 14-inch stirring plow, John Deere walking cultivator, disc, harrow, grindstone, corn sheller, set double work harness, set single harness, saddle, 4 oak corner posts, Sharples separator No. 4, barrel churn, 3 burner oil stove, "Old Trusty" incubator, 120-egg; Queen incubator, 120-egg; heating stove, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
Jos. Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

Chas. W. Neil

Be sure to be on time for this sale as the auctioneer has another date in the afternoon — Remember 10 o'clock sharp.

49 HEAD OF SHEEP—17 head of native Shropshire ewes, extra good, weight average 200. Also 32 head of large Idahos. These are larger than the usual western ewe. (These sheep are listed by E. S. Wallace, who will take the rest of his farm stock with him to Nebraska.)

Real Estate at Auction

We will sell the farm and residence lot described below at public auction at the front door of the Court House at Maryville, Missouri, at 1:30 o'clock on

Saturday, February 10, 1917

171 ACRE FARM 171

Known as the Edgar Rhodes farm, 3½ miles northwest of Barnard, Mo., and 3½ miles southwest of Arkoe, Mo. This farm is gently rolling and will make an ideal stock farm. There are two houses on the place—One nearly new 5-room house and a good 3-room house—Chicken house; smoke house; a good large barn; fences are in good condition. This will sure be an opportunity to make an investment in a farm that will make money.

TERMS:—$1,500 cash on sale day, party to assume the payment of $5,000 loan held by The Farmers Trust Co., of Maryville, and balance of our equity, payable in 1 and 2 years at 6 per cent interest. We will allow a discount of 6 per cent for all cash payment on our equity over $1,500. The deferred payments to us to be secured by second mortgage. Purchaser to pay interest from March 1, 1917, when possession will be given on both deferred payments and $5,000 mortgage.

Choice Residence Lot in Maryville

KNOWN AS THE E. D. HOLMES LOT

Situated on East Seventh street in one of the best residence sections of the city, on a paved street and an extra good lot. This lot is W½, NE¼, of block bounded on north by Seventh street, on east by Vine street, and on south by Sixth street, and on west by Market street, in original town of Maryville.

TERMS ON LOT:—$200 cash on sale day, balance 12 months time at 6 per cent interest from date.

For further particulars, write or see

JACKSON-VREELAND SECURITIES CO.

426-32 Lathrop Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

Or R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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FILL COUNTY JOBS

COUNTY COURT NAMES FOUR MEN FOR VACANCIES.

MANY WERE APPLICANTS

G. S. Pfeifer, Janitor, D. C. Owen, Farm Supt., Dr. Frank Wallis, Physician—Peery Re-elected.

THE COUNTY APPOINTMENTS.

George S. Pfeifer, janitor at court house.

D. C. Owens of near Elmo, superintendent of the county farm.

Dr. Frank C. Wallis, county physician.

M. A. Peery, title examiner.

The above are the appointments made by the county court just before noon today. There were many applicants for each of the positions.

For janitor at the court house there were six candidates. The position pays $50 a month. Mr. Pfeifer, who was selected, is at present janitor at the Christian church.

There were four applicants for superintendent of the county farm. Mr. Owens, who was selected to succeed William Job, who resigned, is a farmer living near Elmo. The job pays $65 a month with $20 allowance for a helper to run the farm.

Dr. Frank C. Wallis was selected as county health officer and physician, there being five candidates for this position. The office pays $250 a year as county physician and fees as health officer. Dr. Wallis succeeds Dr. F. M. Ryan.

M. A. Peery, the present title examiner, was re-appointed. This position pays $2 for each title examined for a county loan.

The court did not select a county highway engineer and the appointment will probably not be made until the April term of court. There were two applicants for the job.

A GUARD FOR EDISON.

U. S. Takes Steps to Protect Man of Wonderful Creative Powers.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

East Orange, Feb. 8.—A guard has been established for Thomas Edison, and special police powers have been granted to this body guard. The reason for this precaution is that the creative mind of Edison will be of the utmost importance to the United States should war come.

WANT MERCHANTMEN GUARDED.

Attempt to Secure Services of Navy Will Fail, Officials Say.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Pressure to have American warships convoy American merchantmen was renewed on the White House state department today. The department officials declared that the attempts will not be successful.

Pickering Swears by Horace Leet.

The following is from the Pickering Pick-Ups in this week's Hopkins Journal:

H. F. Leet, of the Leet Grain company of Pickering, was elected a member of the board of directors of the Missouri Grain Dealers' association at the convention in St. Joseph last week. Mr. Leet is familiar with every phase of the grain business and if there is a nicer man in the state than he is, that man has not as yet been found. Pickering people all swear by Horace Leet.

W. D. Wallace of Parnell is in Maryville on court business today.

HAVE RARE COLLECTIONS

Mrs. Ratcliffe and John Coburn Give Lists of Old Coins in Their Possession.

Among the possessors of rare coins collections in Maryville and vicinity are Mrs. Kate Ratcliffe, living in town and John Coburn, living two and one-half miles northeast of Maryville.

Mrs. Ratcliffe says that some of the coins in her collection have been in possession of the Ratcliffe family for 100 years. The rarest ones are. A German thaler dated 1819; a Spanish coin, bearing the words, "Carolus III, Dei Gratia," and dated 1805; one American trade dollar of 1878; two half dimes dated 1853 and 1860; one dime dated 1859; two 2-cent pieces dated 1864 and 1865; two small 3-cent pieces dated 1851 and 1853; two large 3-cent pieces dated 1868 and 1876; one large cent dated 1835; one half cent dated 1826 and one 6¼-cent piece dated 1776.

Mr. Coburn's collection is equally as interesting. He has five silver half-dollars dated respectively, 1830, 1831, 1822, 1828 and 1834. These coins have letters on the edges. Also, 1-cent pieces dated 1850 and 1848; one penny, called a "gold penny," and dated 1858; two nickel pieces (silver) worn so thin that the date cannot be told; a silver 3-cent piece 185—; a dime dated 1835; a copper coin dated 1806 with the words, "George III," on it; a penny dated 1866 with the words, "Victoria, Brittania Reg. F. D."

THE NEW DRAINAGE DITCH

J. N. Nolan, State Commissioner, Inspects Route, Which Will Be Extension of the 102 Ditch.

J. H. Nolan, state drainage commissioner, yesterday inspected the proposed route of the new drainage ditch which will be an extension of the 102 ditch, from the Carr bridge to a point about five miles south. Mr. Nolan said that a drainage ditch in that vicinity is necessary and great damage will be done by the floods if not such an outlet is built to carry off the flood waters.

The dredge boat manager in charge of the boat at the 102 ditch is estimating the cost of digging the ditch today. When these figures are obtained they will be sent to Mr. Nolan, who will submit the cost of the proposition aside from the digging. Either a new drainage district can be organized or this district can be included in the 102 drainage district.

It is proposed to use about a mile of the old river bed for the new ditch. It is thought likely, too, the Burlington railroad will be greatly benefitted and would probably stand the expense of making a cut in the river a short distance south of Arkoe, the railroad company being able to save two bridges by so doing. The matter will be taken up with the railroad company.

JOHN TILSON RESIGNS.

Mail Messenger Gives Up Work—Bids For Position Are Now Open.

John L. Tilson, who has been mail messenger for a number of years has resigned his position. Sealed proposals for carrying the United States mails (including parcel post mails) between the post office and the Wabash and the Burlington each way as often as required will be received by the postmaster until February 17, 1917. Blank bids may be secured at the post office.

George Warner Dies.

George P. Warner, 41 years old, a farmer living near Maitland, died at a hospital in St. Joseph at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The body was forwarded to Maitland for burial.

George Dirks of near Ravenwood was a Maryville visitor today.

THE GILMORE TRIAL

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY DEVOTED TO THE SELECTION OF JURY.

REGULAR TRIAL MONDAY

Defense Will Probably Plead Emotional Insanity—Numerous Witnesses Will Be Examined.

Friday is the day set for the preliminaries of the Gilmore trial. At this time one hundred talesmen, summoned to appear in circuit court will be challenged according to the process of selecting a jury to try Mrs. Clemma Gilmore for the murder of Mrs. Ella Shipps.

Both Friday and Saturday will be devoted to the selection of the jury and the regular proceedings of the trial court will start Monday.

Mrs. Gilmore is charged with the murder of Mrs. Ella Shipps on the morning of August 16, when Mrs. Shipps went to the Burlington depot where she intended to take the early morning train to Kansas City for a visit. While she was having her baggage checked, Mrs. Gilmore entered the room, drew a pistol and shot Mrs. Shipps twice. The wounded woman died soon afterward.

Mrs. Gilmore came back to town and gave herself up to the sheriff, stating that she had killed Mrs. Shipps. She was placed in the county jail and has been there ever since.

The plea to be made by the defense in the case is not known, but it is possible that it will be emotional insanity. The state will hold out for first degree murder either death or life imprisonment, contending that Mrs. Gilmore's pending suit for divorce filed several months before the killing and which is uncontested and would have been granted at the September term of the court last year, is almost equivalent to complete legal separation, and Mrs. Gilmore should have had little or no interest in the acts of her husband.

Mrs. Gilmore accused Mrs. Shipps of being the cause of the separation with her husband.

The state will be represented by William G. Sawyers, prosecuting attorney, while Mrs. Gilmore will have Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison to defend her. The state has subpoenaed sixteen witnesses, most of them being eye-witnesses to the killing. The defense issued subpoenas for thirty witnesses today.

Out of the panel of 100 talesmen, forty will be selected and from that number the jury of twelve will be drawn. It is expected the case will go to the jury by next Thursday.

MRS. VISCONTI TESTIFIES

Refuses to Make Story Public Telling Committee Only — Name May Be Divulged.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The house rules committee in charge of the "leak" investigation carried on a session today. When Mrs. Visconti, the star witness, was called she refused to tell her story publicly, and wrote the name of the person from whom she had received her information on a piece of paper, which was shown to the members of the committee only. The committee reserved the right to make the name public if necessary. After supplying this name, Attorney Whipple suddenly excused her.

The two small children of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sharr are very ill with pneumonia at their home, east of Pickering.

Basket Ball Game
TOMORROW NIGHT

Albany High School
vs.
Maryville High School

Watch for the High School Parade and Dutch Band after school Friday.

ADMISSION 25C

Normal Gym—8:00 p. m.
Friday, Feb. 9

EDUCATORS TO MEET

TEACHERS OF FIVE TOWNSHIPS TO MEET AT SKIDMORE.

AN ALL-DAY SESSION

County Superintendent Bert Cooper Announces Program for Morning and Afternoon.

A teachers' and patrons' meeting of Monroe, Green, Hughes, Atchison and Nodaway townships will be held at the High School building at Skidmore on Saturday, February 24. The following program was announced by County Superintendent Bert Cooper today:

Morning Session.

Song ..... By Audience
Invocation ..... Rev. Harrison
Address of Welcome..Frank Barrett
Song .....Skidmore Primary Pupils
Song .....Quitman School
How and Why Keep School House Clean?.....Ruby Ruddle
Exercise .....Hazel Dell School
Training for the Spring Track Meet.....Prof. Ralph McClintock
Teaching Reading and Literature to Upper Grades, Prof. J. M. Decker
Boys' and Girls' Club Work..... .....J. F. Kellogg
Song.....Union Valley School

Afternoon Session

Music .....Skidmore High School
Recitation.....Union Star School
Preparation of Eighth Grade Pupils for Examination....Opha Crawford
Exercise.....Pifer School
Weaknesses of Rural School Graduates in High School..... .....Prof. E. R. Adams
Teachers' Duty to Community.... .....Prof. J. N. Geyer
Exercise .....Eureka School
Teaching of Language and Grammar.....Prof. D. V. Culp
School Improvements....Bert Cooper

EUGENE WALLACE INJURED

Catches Right Foot in Baller, Crushing Severe Bruises and Necessitating Medical Attention.

Eugene Wallace suffered a painful injury about 1 o'clock this afternoon. In company with several other men he was bailing hay on his farm, two miles south of Maryville, when in some way his right foot was caught in the baller. The great toe was mashed and the top of the foot was severely bruised. Dr. Will Wallis, Jr., was called to dress the injury, and it will be several days before Mr. Wallace will be able to walk.

WOULD BE A U. S. CITIZEN

F. August Engelmann Takes Out His Second Naturalization Papers Today.

F. August Engelmann took out his second naturalization papers today before Circuit Clerk Henry Westfall to become an American citizen. His first papers were taken out at Nashville, Tenn., January 1, 1890, but he neglected to take out his second papers.

Mr. Engelmann was born at Nienbagen, Germany, on February 29, 1860. He came to America in 1886. He located in Maryville several years ago. His son, Alfred Engelmann, filed his declaration of intention to become an American citizen yesterday.

SUFFERS FIRE LOSS.

Two-Story Frame House of "Lish" Nicholas at Burlington Junct. Burns

A two-story frame house in Burlington Junction, owned by "Lish" Nicholas and occupied by W. E. Nicholas, burned to the ground this morning. The fire started from a defective flue. Only a part of the furniture was saved. Mr. Nicholas carried only $600 insurance on the building.

Not For Their Friends.

The banquet and program to be given at the Modern Woodmen hall tonight is for the members of the W. O. W. and of the Woodmen Circle and of their families, and not for friends as was erroneously stated last night.

To Play Albany H. S.

Maryville High School will have its next basketball "tussle" tomorrow night when it plays the Albany High School at the Normal gymnasium. This is the first game with Albany this season, and reports say that it will be one of the best games on the schedule.

C. S. Johnson of near Clearmont was a city visitor today.

ON THE JOB.

—Hodge in Spokane Spokesman-Review.

WILL BE POPULAR

ALL SHOULD DISCHARGE DEBTS DURING PAY-UP-WEEK.

UNDER NO COMPULSION

People Will Be Paying Running Accounts Because It Is The Proper Thing to Do.

The most popular thing you can do during the week of February 19, will be to pay your running account or long overdue obligations. That week is National Pay-Up-Week and all over the country merchants and their customers will be joining in the observance of this occasion. In Maryville merchants are in unison in cooperating and will offer special sale prices during the dates. In Maryville the week will be known as National Pay-Up and Community Sale Week.

During National Pay-Up-Week the most fashionable thing one can do will be to pay his bills. The fact that this is a popular movement and is being entered into enthusiastically all over the country is taken as indication of great success. People will be paying their bills not from compulsion, but because it is the right and proper thing to do.

The fact that cities and towns in every nook and corner of the United States will be following the same plans as are being used in Maryville is considered a strong feature of the campaign. At a meeting held in January Maryville merchants agreed to work together and to follow plans under the supervision of the Business Exchange of the Commercial Club. In this manner a concerted movement will result.

During this week everybody will be paying bills. Business men, professional men, their customers, clients and patients will all be striving to wipe the slate clean. There are many accounts in Maryville—on the books of retail merchants—which could be wiped out if the people but were cognizant of the inconvenience caused by allowing them to run from month to month and year to year. With everybody in the game this should be a great week for Maryville.

"Pass Prosperity Around" is a good slogan to combine with "I'll Pay My Bills So You Can Pay Yours."

Greathouse Guests Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Greathouse and two sons, Cecil and Walser, of Oklahoma City, who have been guests at the home of Mr. Greathouse's brother L. W. Greathouse, for the last few days will leave this evening for Twin Falls, Idaho. Mr. and Mrs. Greathouse will locate in Idaho if they like the country.

THIRTEEN MISSING

NUMBER REPORTED LOST ON THE CALIFORNIA DECREASES.

SUNK WITHOUT WARNING

Occurrence Sweeps Away All Hope That Passenger Carriers May Escape the Submarines.

(BULLETIN)

London, Feb. 8. —An American seaman was reported killed when the British steamship, Torino, was submarined.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Thirteen of the thirty-one passengers are still missing according to a cable received by the general manager of the anchor line today.

Forty-one are Missing.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Forty-one persons are missing as a result of the torpedoing of the California, according to a cablegram from Queenstown, which was received by the state department late yesterday afternoon. The text of the cablegram was as follows: "The survivors of the California number 162 and the missing forty-one. Apparently torpedoed about 10 o'clock yesterday morning."

The California was a British liner and was torpedoed without warning off the Irish coast and the one American known to have been on board was saved.

Her sinking has about swept away the last lingering hope here that Germany, after all, would permit passenger carriers to escape is an effort to avoid driving the United States to hostilities.

Whether this will prove to be the overt act to drive the United States into the war no one would attempt to say.

Not U-Boat's Fault Americans Live.

The fact that the American escaped lessened, in a degree, the excitement created by the news, but only in a degree. More than a score of merchant craft have been sent to the bottom in the war zone within the last twenty-four hours and it is realized that if no citizen of the United States was among the victims, it merely was a fortunate accident and that it can be only a matter of hours before Americans are caught in such wholesale destruction.

Really Menaces England.

With the California the immediate issue, officials were deeply impressed by the complete thoroughness of the German undersea campaign and its promise, on the figures of the last two days, of carrying out Germany's threat to isolate England completely. Lloyd's reports received here show a total of

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GERARD IS STILL ON GERMAN SOIL

STATE DEPARTMENT RECEIVES NOTICE OF HIS "DETENTION."

IS NOT BEING HELD AS TEUTON 'HOSTAGE'

Action Follows Receipt of News That German Ships On U. S. Coast Were Seized.

(BULLETIN).

Boston, Feb. 8.—The appearance of a large submarine, evidently foreign, in the entrance of the sound at Boston harbor has thrown the shipping circles into consternation here. Captain Smith of a tugboat who reported the sighting said that he was familiar with submarines and that this one was not American.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Information that Gerard, his embassy assistants, the American consul in Germany and the prisoners taken in the Yarrowdale are "detained" was received by the state department today. They are not held as "hostages," it is officially stated, but their position yet may lead to serious embarrassment. Germany simply withheld the passports of any American officials for the present, according to the information received.

A large number of Americans were able to get to the neutral countries before the present action was taken, but it is understood that none of those at present in Germany will be allowed to leave before certain matters now under consideration are cleared up.

The action was not taken as a precaution for the fate of the German ambassador Bernstorff, the officials say. It followed the receipt of the news that the United States had actually seized German war-bound ships. Ambassador Page at London cabled the state department that German interests there were taken over by the Swiss minister.

Pushing Legislation.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The house planned to pass before adjournment tonight the Naval appropriation bill. The chief measures in this bill will be to put the United States in readiness to defend its rights on seas at the present crisis.

Arm American Liners.

London, Feb. 8.—Preliminary steps for the arming of the American liners, St. Louis, St. Paul and Lapland were taken today.

Bolivia Is With Us.

London, Feb. 8.—A Reuter dispatch from Lapaz stated that an announcement was made by the Bolivan foreign minister and his government would support the United States' attitude on the submarine question.

To Define U. S. Position.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Senator McCumber of North Dakota, introduced a resolution asking the president to have the attorney general submit a statement clearly refining the position of the United States on limiting

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THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; much colder tonight, colder south and east central Friday; fresh northerly winds.

Song Recital Tonight-- First M. E. Church 8:15 o'clock

BESSE GATES HALL, Lyric Contralto
FRED LEWIS HAKEL, Violinist
Tickets 35c and 25c

FERN TONIGHT—

"Night Shadows" —A 101 Bison 2-reel feature; a drama of mysterious shadows. A struggle in the dark and a thrilling demonstration.

Grace Cunard and Francis Ford in "THE ELUSIVE ENEMY" in 2 acts. A drama of intrigue and adventure, and the funniest komedy you ever saw, and different. Eddie Shields and a bunch of indians capturing an automobile and then things commenced to happen—in "The Oil Smeller."

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"The Widow McGintey"
Home Talent Play
IN 3 ACTS
at Mt. Pleasant School
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SPECIAL MUSIC—EVERYBODY INVITED
Admission 10c and 25c

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SUSIE SNOWFLAKE
A Comedy Drama of Broadway
5c and 10c. **EMPIRE THEATRE** 5c and 10c.
Tomorrow Night—Gail Kane in "The Men She Married".

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GERARD IS STILL ON CERMANY SOIL

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the use of the submarines.

Two Vessels Submarined.

London, Feb. 8.—The British steamships, Tuerinov, Dauntless and Hollinside were submarined today. Two of the crew on the Dauntless were killed.

Danish Sailors Killed.

Copenhagen, Feb. 8.—Dispatches state that seventeen Danish sailors were killed when the Larskus was sunk.

For Increased Manufactures

Washington, Feb. 8.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels, recommended the immediate doubling of the capacity of the torpedo manufacturing plant at Newport.

Safe Conduct for Bernstorff.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Acting for all of the Entente Allies France today notified the State Department that safe conduct would be granted to Ambassador Bernstorff and his suite. It is understood that this dismisses every possibility of the United States becoming involved in difficulties by the ambassador's return to Berlin. Arrangements have been completed for his sailing Tuesday on the Scandinavian vessel, Frederick 8.

Fear Bomb Plots.

New York, Feb. 8.—The liners St. Louis, St. Paul and the Lapland, were thoroughly searched for bombs today after the German sailors from an interned vessel of the Hamburg-American line were found hidden in the line piers.

Eyes Tested Free

Can we Help Your Eyes

We certainly can if they need Glasses.

It matters not what the defect may be, if it is amenable to accurately adjusted Glasses we can correct it for you.

Come in at once and let us test your eyes.

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You can verify Maryville indorsement.

Read this:

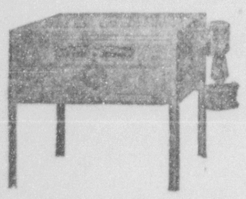
J. N. Bryan, retired farmer, 222 Eleventh street, Maryville, says: "At one time I was having trouble from my back and kidneys. I had an intense soreness just through the small of my back which gave me great pain when I tried to bend over or straighten up quickly. My kidneys acted so frequently that it weakened me. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and bought some from Love & Gaugh's drug store. Right from the first I found relief and as I continued using them I was entirely relieved of that trouble. It has been quite awhile now since I have needed to use Doan's Kidney Pills so I know the benefit is lasting."

50c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Garden Products From Houston.

Mrs. L. W. Greathouse received a large box of garden truck from Houston, Tex., this morning sent by Mrs. William Shecter, who was a visitor at the Greathouse home for a time this winter. In the box were the choicest products of the Texas garden, including lettuce, onions, and parsley.

Why Order the Old Trusty Incubator from the factory when you can get it from our store at the same price? Guaranteed in perfect working order and no risk from breaking from shipping. We have the 100, 150 and 200 egg in stock and at the following prices. We will deliver to you nearest railroad station.



100 to 120 egg $10 85
150 to 175 egg $14.45
200 to 250 egg $18.75

The present high cost of eggs makes it very important that you have an incubator that will hatch the greatest percentage of fertile eggs. For 15 years the Old Trusty has maintained this record and hence has become the incubator from which the standard of incubation is judged, and the price is less than any other standard make. Let us show you the Old Trusty construction that you may thoroughly understand why it has earned its present high standard of efficiency.

H. C. BOWER
– West Side Hardware

Just in—

New Spring Styles in
House Dresses
—Arrived Yesterday

A large shipment, including all sizes from 34 to 51.

These dresses are the famous DECATUR MAID garments which insures perfect fitting, workmanship and quality.

Prices Reasonable

Remus Mercantile Co.

PICKERING ITEMS

Mrs. George Proctor was a visitor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Gray this week.

Charley Wagner is in Kansas City taking instructions in automobile repairing. He intends to stay until spring.

Star Carmichael of Maryville is visiting in Pickering this week.

C. C. Hood was in Maryville on business Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Long moved to Pickering Saturday from Clearmont. She is making her home with her brother, Dick Burch.

Miss Josie Sadler was in Hopkins on business Saturday.

Miss Amanda Dalrymple was a guest at the home of her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dalrymple Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Jennie Morin visited over Sunday with Miss Vern McKee.

Mrs. Ernest Thull went to Maryville Tuesday to visit her mother, Mrs. Bagby.

Misses Addie and Clara Dalrymple were in Maryville on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Donahue was a guest at the home of E. A. Dalrymple Monday.

HOPKINS MAN IN THE NAVY.

Charles McIntire, Sr., Interested in the Orders of Navy Department.

Charles McIntire Sr., is a former member of the United States navy, the only one we believe in Hopkins, and the orders from the Navy Department at Washington are of peculiar interest to him. The officer in charge of the United States Naval recruiting station in St. Louis, has sent orders to all former members of the navy in Missouri and Illinois, notifying them to hold themselves in readiness to leave for St. Louis on short notice upon receipt of notice from headquarters.

In addition, similar orders have been sent to naval reserves. It will require a week or ten days to mobilize the Missouri naval reserves in case the order comes, according to Gerhardt Schwartz, commanding officer, because one-half of them would have to undergo examination, take the federal oaths and be formally mustered into service.

PEACE MAKERS TO CONVENE.

League Will Meet At Jefferson City On February 22.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Feb. 8.—The statewide convention of the League to Enforce Peace will be held in this city on February 22. State Chairman Frederick N. Judson has accepted the offer of the Missouri House of Representatives tendering its chamber to the League, and has issued a call for the convention.

At the convention the delegates will discuss ways and means by which the nations of the world will be forced to submit their differences to a board of arbitration instead of taking recourse to arms.

Mrs. Frank Perry Moves.

In the report of the change of addresses yesterday it was stated that Mrs. Mary Gibson had moved from 210 West Third street to 121½ West Third street. Instead it was her daughter, Mrs. Frank Perry, who changed her location.

Mr. Dixon Sells Farm.

Emery Dixon, who recently sold his farm near Parnell, has bought a farm of 640 acres near Atkison, Neb., and will move there in March.

Homer Ogden Better.

Homer Ogden, who has been quite ill for the past week, is reported as improved today. The young man had both knees injured while playing a basketball game last week and infection resulted.

Vincent Quinn, who has been seriously ill at his home with bronchial pneumonia, is reported improving today

Use
Black Silk Stove Polish
"A Shine in Every Drop"
Get a can today from your hardware or grocery dealer.
BLACK SILK
STOVE POLISH

THIRTEEN MISSING

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56,600 tons for two days, or destruction at the rate of 850,000 tons a month.

To Keep Sailings Secret.

Hereafter the American government will seek to have kept secret the fact of the departure of vessels for the war zone in order not to invite unnecessary risks. The Treasury Department has previously issued strict instructions against the publication of manifests, and every effort will be made from now on to allow as little information as possible to find its way to German submarine commanders.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Remus'
Friday and Saturday
Grocery List

Extra Fancy Bleached Seedless Raisins, lb. 20c
Extra Large Fancy Evaporated Peaches, lb. 35c
Ginger Snaps in bulk, lb. 10c
Pocket Book Brand, Fancy Shoe Peg Corn, 2 cans 35c
Frontier Brand Sifted June Peas, 2 cans 25c
Kentucky Maid Brand Baked Beans in Tomato Sauce, No. 2 size cans 2 for 25c
Flaked Hominy in bulk, 5 lbs. 25c
Cracked Hominy in bulk, 6 lbs. 25c
Shelled Rice Pop Corn, per lb 5c
Bulk Rice, Fancy Head, 4 lbs. 25c
3 pkgs. Skinner Macaroni 25c
Good Size Irish Mackerel, each 10c
8-lb. Pail Lake Fish 75c
Large pkg Jack Frost prepared buckwheat flour 25c
Large sacks fresh corn meal 25c
Good quality Imperial Tea in bulk, per lb 35c
Grape Fruit is fine, 3 large fruit for 25c
Evaporated Muir peaches, per pound 10c
Large can Old Home pumpkin 10c
3 pkgs Rub No More washing powder 10c
4 cans Eagle powdered lye 25c

Remus
Mercantile Company

POLICEMAN TAKEN ILL, WIFE TOURS HIS BEAT

In Husband's Uniform Frees Captive Who Made Plea His Family Was Starving.

Trenton, N. J.—In all the length of Bloomingdale, N. J., from the Susquehanna railroad crossing to the bridge that spans the turbulent Pequannock river, there is no more martial figure than Patrolman Foster Hargraves. No one appears to better advantage in the brass buttons and blue of the force—except perhaps Mrs. Hargraves.

In all the above described limits of the town no one holds the honor of the police department more highly than Patrolman Foster Hargraves—except perhaps Mrs. Hargraves.

One night recently her husband, who works as the village's law guardian from 4 in the afternoon until midnight, was seized with a hard chill at 9 o'clock. He stuck it out as long as he could and then appeared at his home, teeth chattering and face hot with fever.

Mrs. Hargraves put him to bed. When he had fallen asleep she took his uniform and slipped into her room. A few minutes later another policeman stepped out of the Hargraves home and tramped away through the sleet storm.

Mrs. Hargraves walked her husband's beat until midnight. More than that, she arrested a suspicious character—a man whom she had seen slinking away along the railroad track.

"But he said that he had a starving wife and children in New York," she explained naively, "so I let him go."

CRADLE OF AZTEC RACE.

Prehistoric Settlements in New Mexico Reveal Pictures of Extinct Animals.

Tucson, Ariz.—Relics of huge settlements of a prehistoric race of highly civilized Indians who built great dams and irrigated desert land in the southwestern corner of New Mexico have been found by Ranger Don S. Sullivan, who reported his discovery to the forestry headquarters here.

His report has been forwarded to the American Archaeological association. Picture writing which showed the dinosaur and the four toed horse was found on a crude paper made of reeds and on walls of caves.

Ranger Sullivan reported that he believed the settlements were the original dwellings of the Aztec race.

JOBS FOR HUNCHBACKS.

Normal Men Too Strong, Can't Use Girls, Says Chicago Firm.

Chicago. — In the help wanted columns was the ad., "Three hunchbacks wanted; easy work; steady and profitable, if competent."

Inquiry developed that the cripples were wanted to operate machines in an envelope factory, where delicacy of touch is required.

Said one of the firm seeking men: "Girls have been operating these machines. Now we must operate night as well as day and cannot employ women for the night work. A normal man is too strong and is apt to be too clumsy. A hunchback is generally a delicate worker."

FIVE CENTS FOR LUNCHES, HE FLED TO TRENCHES

New York.—Five cents for his midday meal, 10 cents for church and a cent for charity was the allowance which Leon Scradynski of New York said his wife gave him during the years they were saving to buy a home. He sued for an accounting of money left with her when he went to fight for Russia. The jury found in the wife's favor.

TRAMPS ARE HIT HARD BY PROSPERITY WAVE

South Jersey Housewives Less Sympathetic Than In Former Years.

Glassboro, N. J.—High cost of living and high wages have combined to strike a stunning blow to the tramp fraternity in all parts of south Jersey, and police officials report that the panhandlers are much scarcer than usual this winter.

The general prosperity all over the country is said by the authorities to have been most effective in thinning the ranks of the nomads and in keeping the county jails and town free from the usual crowd of "winter boarders."

In past winters it has happened frequently that the small towns in this region have been overrun with the vagrants, who have camped out in the woods and along the railroad lines until severe weather drove them into town to seek shelter in the lockups. There is still a part of this itinerant class which applies to the police for shelter in the jail cells overnight, but few of them linger longer than a day or two, being headed, the police say, toward the munition plants along the river front and to other industrial centers in search of odd jobs.

Food is so high and jobs so plentiful that the housewives are less sympathetic than has been their habit in past years.

Important News—

Don't forget the Big Bargains We are offering in Laces—*on sale Friday Morning at 9 o'Clock.*

Haines
THE STORE THAT HAS IT CHEAPER.
By the Bunch without the Boss.

"SUSIE SNOWFLAKE" TONIGHT

Miss Ann Pennington Makes Huge Success in Paramount Films At the Empire.

"Susie Snowflake," which is the Paramount picture at the Empire theatre tonight, is a happy choice on the part of the Famous Players, for it is in itself a story of the musical comedy world. During the course of this tale Miss Pennington does all the clever little things on the screen which have won her a country-wide reputation on the stage. For the screening of this delightful subject, a perfect replica of a typical musical comedy theatre, with stage and orchestra complete, was erected in the producer's studio, and an entire play was enacted before the camera.

Miss Pennington's diminutive stature, her tremendous black eyes, her indescribably appealing personality and her genuine histrionic ability — which have already won her the foremost rank among musical comedy stage stars—will unquestionably assure her an equal success on the screen. There is something irresistibly appealing about "Susie," and Miss Pennington has caught the charm of this little dancer who scandalizes her maidenly aunts and sets a whole town agog when she brings her Broadway ideals into the community. But there is a lot of real character and unswerving loyalty in "Susie," as she proves when she is put to the test.

In support of Miss Pennington, the Famous Players have gathered several prominent players, among them Leo Delaney, William Courtleigh, Jr., William Butler, Marcia Harris and Billie Wilson.

Don't sign your name to an agent's order for nursery stock when you can buy true to name stock near home. State inspected, fully guaranteed direct from the reliable Murray Nurseries of Oregon, Mo., and save agents' commissions.

NEW LAW FOR FLAGMEN

Will Have to Be Able to Speak, Read And Write English Language If Measure Goes Through.

Jefferson City, Feb. 8.—Railway flagmen in the state of Missouri will have to be able to speak, read and write the English language if a measure presented by Senator Moore, of Barton, is enacted into law. The Senate has just engrossed the bill, after adopting an amendment striking out a provision of the measure which required flagmen to be citizens of the United States.

The Senate Ways and Means committee submitted a favorable report on the bill of Senator Stark, which changes the entire chapter on assessment and collection of revenue by making taxes due the year they are assessed. The passage of this act would mean that the assessors shall commence making assessments in March and shall complete their work by June 1. Real estate must be assessed every year.

Public service corporations and railroads must be valued by the state Esualization board in February instead of June, July and August. Under the present laws, property is valued one year for the taxes of the following year. The measure is to become effective March 1, 1918.

James A. Jackson, 50 years old, a farmer near Willow Springs, died at a hospital in St. Joseph Tuesday night. The body was taken to Bolckow, his former home, for burial.

A teachers and patrons' meeting of Hopkins, Union and North Independence townships, will be held at Hopkins Saturday at the high school building. County Superintendent Bert Cooper will attend the meeting.

Henry Toel has returned from Maryville, where he was a guest with Mr. Forrest Hanna of Kansas City, of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna.—St. Joseph Gazette.

BAPTISTS IN CONVENTION

Six Prominent Missionaries Guests of Honor at Two-Day Session Held At Moberly.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Moberly, Mo., Feb. 8.—The Baptist churches here today closed a two-days' convention in the First Baptist church, at which six prominent missionaries were the guests of honor.

The honor guests are Missourians and are graduates of William Jewell College at Liberty. They are:

Dr. Frank White, president of the Shanghai Baptist College; Dr. John Proctor, dean of the department of Theology in the same school; Dr. Everette Gill, who has charge of the Baptist work in Italy; Rev. J. P. Stuart, associated with Dr. Gill; Dr. M. D. Eubank and Dr. John W. Lowe, medical missionaries in China.

These men are making a tour of the most important cities of the state.

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Send Engelmann's Flowers for Satisfaction.
The Engelmann Greenhouses.
Phones, 17. 1001 S. Main St.

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Eye Glass which combines beauty and protection to the lenses.

These small metal rims are nearly invisible and give the same protection as the larger ones

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50 bushels of Good Ben Davis Apples per peck 25c

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40c quality Calif. Lemons, thin skin and seedless, per doz 18c

Extra fine Calif. Cauliflower, per pound 15c

Libby's Asparagus (whole spears) 2 cans 25c

Van Camps No. 4 Tomatoes (finest packed), per can 20c

Solid packed No. 3 size Tomatoes, per can 15c

No. 2 size cans High Grade Tomatoes, per can 10c

No. 1 size Tomatoes, 2 cans 15c

State of Maine Corn (where the best comes from), bran new goods, 20c regular price, per can 13c

No. 2 cans Fine String Beans only 10c

No. 2 cans (Little Admiral), extra sifted Sweet Tender Peas. Our 20c quality per tin 14c

No. 2 cans Early June Peas, 2 cans for 15c

Van Camps (packs the best Hominy) 3 lb a large sanitary cans, only .. 10c

Hominy, choice Indiana pack, quart cans, 2 for 15c

Sweet Potatoes quart cans, only .. 10c

* 2 doz. Calif Naval Oranges .. 25c *
* Every one sound and sweet, but small in size. *
* Extra large Grape Fruit, 2 for only ..... 15s *

2 cans Finest Medium Red Salmon 29c

2 cans (25c) Red Alaska Salmon .. 35c

Pink Salmon, No. 1 tall cans, each 10c

No. 1 cans diced Pineapple, 2 for .. 15c

Fine for Fruit Cocktail, Sherbert, etc. Sandwich Tuna Fish, per tin 10c

50 lb cans Pure Hog Lard $8.50

50 lb cans Lard Compound $7.50

Fancy Large Dried Peaches, 2 pounds for 25c

White Borax Naptha Soap, 10 bars 34c

¼ lb Sealed Package Ceylon Tea .. 15c

Genuine White Fish (fancy, thick, meaty, bran new goods) per lb .. 15c

Lake Fish in Pails 65c

B & M Codfish Flakes, 2 cans 15c

Blind Robins, whole, box 25c

Mexican Pinto Beans (mighty good eating), per lb 10c

Choice Mixed Cookies, per lb 15c

Choice Ginger Snaps, 2½ lb 25c

Fresh Parsnips or Carrots, 7 lb .. 25c

Fancy Red Globe Onions, per lb .. 10c

Good Celery, medium size 10c

Fresh Lettuce Every Day.

No. 2 cans Fancy Succotash 15c

No. 2 cans Lima Beans, 2 for 25c

3 lb A No. 1 Rice for 15c

3 lb New Made Pearl Hominy 10c

3 lb Fresh Flaked Hominy 15c

3 lb Fresh Rolled Oats 15c

3 lb Steel Cut Oats 15c

Calif. Evaporated Apricots, per lb 20c

Gallon Can Apples 25c

No. 2 cans Whole Strawberries in syrup 15c

10c Package Jello or Ice Cream Powder 8c

Fresh Sweet Potatoes (good), per lb 5c

20c per peck for Good Walnuts.

20c per peck for Fresh Turnips.

A No. 1 Quality Cranberries, qt 8c

Townsend's Fourth and Main Streets

Deliveries leave Store 9 and 11 a. m. and 2:30 and 5 p. m.

Public Sale of Farm Lands In Partition

The farm belonging to the William S. Wallace estate, containing about three hundred and thirty-five acres, situated about one mile West of Clearmont, Missouri, will be sold at public sale at the Court House Door, in the city of Maryville, on

Saturday, February 10, 1917

For the purpose of settling said estate

This is one of the best farms in Nodaway County. Persons wanting to buy a good farm should investigate this land and attend the sale. Sale will take place at one o'clock p. m.

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Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today. Deposits of one dollar and upwards received in our savings department.

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A BANK OF SAVINGS MARYVILLE, MO

To Spend Winter in Texas.

Prof. and Mrs. B. F. Duncan left this afternoon for Kansas City and Fort Worth, Tex., where they will spend the winter. Their son, John Duncan, lives in Kansas City, and their daughter, Mrs. S. V. Dooley resides at Fort Worth.

MAY BE PAROLED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Joliet, Feb. 9.—George Mears, who escaped prison today after serving twenty-five years on the charge of murder, has been recommended for a parole.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD

Hanamo phone 42, Farmers phone 114

Mrs. Charles Married.

Mrs. Zilpha Charles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shockley, south of Maryville, and Charles W. Shinabargar of Maryville, were married yesterday in St. Joseph.

Homemakers Meet.

The Homemakers' class of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. M. L. Hopper Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A good attendance is desired.

Kemps Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kemp entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night at their home on North Avenue, the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp and daughter, Greta, and son, Harold.

Costello's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Costello were host and hostess at a 6 o'clock dinner given last night at their home on South Buchanan street. Their guests were: Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sanders and daughter, Marion, Mrs. Mary Costello, and Mrs. M. E. Farrar.

For Miss Stahl.

Mrs. M. L. Beattie entertained five tables of bridge yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Vena Stahl of Liberty, Nebr., who is visiting Miss Dorothy Pierce. High score was won by Mrs. A. Swike and the guest prize went to Miss Stahl. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

To Give Cafeteria Luncheon.

The people of Skidmore under the leadership of the Parent-Teachers' association and the Neighborly club, will give a cafeteria luncheon tomorrow night in the basement of the Methodist church. The proceeds will be used for manual training equipment and other progressive movements in the school.

Mrs. Henry Wright, Hostess.

Mrs. Henry Wright was hostess to the I. X. L. Embroidery club yesterday afternoon. Twenty members and two visitors, Mrs. Gray and Mrs. Douglas, were present. Several piano selections were given by Mrs. Douglas. The afternoon was spent socially, and light refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Eugene Rathbun.

Penelope Club Meets.

The Penelope club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles McNeal. Sixteen members and two visitors were present at the meeting. The visitors were Mrs. Frank Terhune and daughter, Margaret. During the afternoon a comfort for Mrs. McNeal was tacked. A dainty two-course luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. James Cook and Mrs. John Price.

Ravenwood Philathea Class.

The Philathea Sunday School class of the Methodist church of Ravenwood met at the home of Miss Fay Bishop, at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Following the business session refreshments were served by Mrs. Will Bishop. Those present were: Mrs. Taylor Crater, Mrs. R. M. Wetzel, Miss Marguerite Logan, Miss Wavie Rahlston, Miss Lora Proctor, Miss Fay Bishop, and Mrs. F. G. Graf.

Surprise for Miss Mutz.

Miss Lou Mutz was pleasantly surprised, when a number of her school friends gathered at her home last night to help her to celebrate her birthday anniversary. The young people enjoyed games and music and afterwards formed a line party to the Empire theatre. The following were present: Misses Mary Angell, Mary Crowson, Lorena Kirch, Esther Deitz, Erma Green, Cecil Fraser, Anice Neal and Marie Landfather.

Hostesses at Party.

Misses Hazel Teson, Amy Barrett, Florence Jordon, Hildred Goslee and Letta Rodman were hostesses at a party given last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curfman on West First street.

Various games furnished amusements for the evening. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The guests were: Misses Vada Foland, Lenola Mitchell, Gladys Ford, Jennie Jenkins, Hazel Hart, Mary Barrett, Katherine Ordnung, Opal Hart, Martha James and Myrtle Wells.

Guests at Hutchison Home.

The Rev. and Mrs. Hutchison entertained at 5 o'clock dinner Tuesday evening at their home in Pickering, their guests being Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Dayhoff and the teachers of the public schools, namely, Prof. H. Garrett and his sister, Mrs. Forcade, Miss Cora Gehr, Miss Evans and Miss Ramey. The guests came to the dining room and found their places by place cards, their names being on one side and a conundrum on the other. These conundrums were discussed and answered between courses. After dinner the guests were invited to the parlors and the evening was spent in an informal way.

For Mrs. Robert Wolfers.

Mrs. Ed R. Brown entertained Tuesday afternoon with a domino party, complimentary to Mrs. Robert Wolfers of New York. The prize, a beautiful hand-painted dish, went to Mrs. W. R. Graham, while the consolation prize was won by Mrs. W. L. Moorhead. A two-course luncheon was served. Those invited were Mrs. Robert Wolfers, of New York; Mrs. C. E. Donlin, Mrs. E. C. Wolfers Sr., Mrs. J. E. Appleton, Mrs. Fred Demott, Mrs. A. F. Mutti, Mrs. H. C. Clutter, Mrs. R. B. Luce, Mrs. Anna Keith, Mrs. C. W. Kirk, Mrs. W. R. Graham, Miss Eva Brainard, Mrs. H. A. Dalby, Mrs. Fred Herbert, Mrs. Fred Wooldridge, Mrs. W. L. Moorhead and Mrs. Roy Wolfers, of Pickering.—Hopkins Journal.

C. C. Circle Meets.

The C. C. Circle met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. B. Yates of Burlington Junction. The meeting was well attended. Two visitors, Mrs. Charles Finnell and Mrs. Holmes Yates and her little daughter, Helen, were present. The subject for discussion was "The Ozarks." Mrs. Mark Hiles read an interesting paper on the "Products of the Ozarks," and also read a letter from that section of the state. Two solos, "Missouri" and "I Want to Go Back to Missouri," were given by Mrs. A. B. Yates, and Mrs. Mark Hiles sang, "America for Me." In connection with this meeting a shower was given for the little baby daughter of Mrs. Yates. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Cris Bears.

Dittmar-Bollinger Wedding.

Last Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock p. m., in St. Joseph, Justice of Peace John W. Wilson, officiating, Miss Frances A. Dittmar and Harry W. Bollinger, both of Hopkins, were united in marriage, the only guests present being Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Davis, of Kansas City, Mo., Mr. Davis being an uncle of the bride. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. C. A. Dittmar and has been an operator at the Hopkins Hanamo central during the past two years, her efficiency and genial manner winning for her the esteem of everybody. The groom is a son of Mrs. D. D. Bollinger and is a well-known and prosperous young farmer.

The young couple will make their home on his farm, 5 miles east of this city, and have the best wishes of many friends.—Hopkins Journal.

Surprise for Mr. and Mrs. Moody.

The members of the Lasher Homemaking Circle planned and successfully carried out a surprise party last night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Moody west of Maryville. Games and music were enjoyed during the evening and at a late hour an elaborate luncheon was served. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. James Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Masters, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrow, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gault, Mr. and Mrs. George McMurry, Mr. and Mrs. McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swinford, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deneen, Mr. and Mrs. James McGinness, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Strauch, Misses Margaret Hopper, Blanche Curnutt, Lucile Masters, Ella O'Grady, Marie, Pearl and Dorothy Deneen, Margaret, and Ssther McMurry, Lorena Gault, Thelma and Roma McGinness, Doris and Claudine Swinford; Ward Stevenson, Howard Watson, Vern Curnutt, Howard Masters, Will Strauch, Howard McFarland, Paul Kenneth Swinford, Glen and Merrill McGinness, Wilbur and Byron Stevenson and Wilson and George McMurry.

Miller-Jobe Wedding.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at high noon yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Miller, near Parnell, when their daughter, Miss Lena became the bride of William Jobe, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jobe of Sheridan. The ceremony was read by the Rev. Mr. Kemper, pastor of the Methodist church of Parnell, the ring service being used. The bride wore an exquisitely dainty gown of pearl colored crepe de chine with trimmings of satin and lace. Her slippers were of white satin. Miss Lottie Bird and Elias Echterling attended the couple as bridesmaid and best man. Miss Hazel Miller, cousin of the bride played the wedding march. Immediately after the ceremony an elaborate wedding dinner was served. A color scheme of pink and white was carried out in the decorations as well as in the menu for the dinner. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jobe, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jobe, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Hubble, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Day, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Aldrich, Chester Winemiller, Miss Minnie Barber, Elias Echterling, and Clive Carroll. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the couple. Last night a charivari was given in honor of the newlyweds, which was followed by a miscellaneous shower by the girls of the K. K. K. club.

Thompson'ss Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Thompson of Ravenwood entertained at 6 o'clock dinner yesterday evening. Plates were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McMillen and Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Crawford of Osceola, Ia.

Baptist Missionary Tea.

The parlors of the Baptist church were the scene of a delightful tea, given by the members of the Woman's Missionary society of the church last night. A varied and successful program was given, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. "America," was first sung by the members of the society and prayer was lead by the Rev. T. H. Wiles, pastor. A hymn, "The Morning Light is Breaking," was followed by a talk by Mrs. W. A. Burris, president of the society, who gave a brief resume of the work of the society in 1916 and of the plans for service in 1917.

Mrs. Alec Fraser led the devotions and the assembly then listened to a duet by Maurice Fitzgerald and his sister, Mrs. Smith of Wichita, Kan. Mrs. Eugene Ogden gave an illuminating description of the boyhood of Judson, the great Baptist Missionary, and her talk was followed by a solo sung by Miss Mary Wallace.

The debate: "Resolved that Foreign Missions are More Important than Home Missions," was thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

Miss Ada Albert and Mrs. Bruce Montgomery most ably presented the affirmative arguments and Mrs. G. B. Holmes and Miss Katherine Helwig supported the negative side. The judges, Pref. E. L. Harrington, Prof. S. E. Davis and Mrs. H. A. Miller, had a hard time agreeing on the winners, but finally decided in favor of the negative side.

While waiting for the judges to make their decision Mr. Wiles gave an address, and a quartet from Mrs. H. A. Miller's Sunday School class, consisting of Misses Ora Quinn, Mary Wallace, Viva Cloud and Mabel Foreman gave some pleasing selections. Miss Lucile Holmes delighted the audience with an instrumental solo, after which a social hour was enjoyed. This part of the evening was in charge of Miss Orril Helwig, Mrs. G. W. Hempstead, Mrs. G. B. Holmes and Mrs. L. P. James, who served light refreshments and arranged for a general good time.

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The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No opiates—no unpleasant after effects. Cures colds in 24 hours—Grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Mr. Hill's picture on it—25 cents.

At Any Drug Store

BURNED BY HOT BEANS.

Doctors Have Hopes for Recovery of 2-Year-Old Mildred Muir; Bolckow.

Bolckow, Mo., Feb. 8.—The condition of Mildred Muir, the 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Muir who was seriously burned Friday when a pan of hot beans was overturned on her head and hand, was such today as to give hope that she would recover, according to Dr. Logan Woods, the attending physician.

The accident happened when Mrs. Muir took a pan of beans from the oven of the stove and started with them to the table. The little girl, who had wandered into the room unknown to the mother, collided with her and Mrs. Muir dropped the beans, which covered the child's arm and neck. The Muirs live two miles west of here.

TO THE PUBLIC

Having located in Maryville for the practice of

OSTEOPATHY

we have opened a suite at the Hotel Bainum, where we will be permanently located and will be glad to receive for consultation or treatment persons who desire to take advantage of the modern method. We handle both acute and chronic work. In addition to being practitioners and graduates of the School of Osteopathy at Kirksville Mo., our office equipment includes a specially constructed Osteopathic Mechanical Table, providing comfort for the patient and allowing the operator to do better work. Our office hours are from 8:30 to 11 a. m., and from 2 to 5 p. m.

We hope to deserve both your friendship and your patronage.

DRS. CLARK & GODBY.

Spring 1917

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Our Custom Tailoring Dpt.

with the superb range of fashions and display of more than 500 different woolens from our Chicago tailors ED. V. PRICE & CO. easily surpasses the facilities of the best local shops and the cost, relatively less.

The more particular you are the better we like to please you. Call and be measured—*today*.

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See Display of Woolens in Window

THE LETTER "E"

SOME ONE has advanced the opinion that the letter "E" is the most unfortunate character in the English Alphabet, because it is always out of cash, forever in debt, never out of danger and in hell all the time. But we call attention to the fact that "E" is never in war and always in peace. It is the beginning of existence, the commencement of ease and the end of trouble. Without it there would be no Valentine, no meat, no life, no Heaven. It is the center of honesty, makes love perfect, and there will be no regrets if you buy your Valentines of

Orear-Henry Drug Company

About Fred Wolfers.

They were waiting turns at the barber shop Saturday night when the discussion of different ones who have left Pickering to go out into the world to win fame, came up, and one good old soul who thinks more of Fred Wolfers than some men think of their wives, declared that the city attorneyship of Pickering should be offered Fred in an effort to coax him back here from the county seat.—Pickering Pick-Ups in Hopkins Journal.

Edwin Caldwell of Burlington Junction is in Maryville on business today.

Tom Cox of St. Joseph is in Maryville today on business.

Public Sale

Having decided to make a change in handling my farm I will sell at my place 3 miles east of Maryville, on

Monday, February 12

The following property:—

Angus Cows, Heifers and Calves

37 HEAD OF CATTLE—11 head of Angus cows, (extra godd), 2 with calves at foot now, others heavy springers; 12 head of high grade Angus yearling heifers to calf early; 12 head of choice early spring heifer calves; 1 yearling Angus steer; 1 2-year-old Angus bull.

17 HEAD OF HOGS—10 head of choice tried brood sows, due to pig about March 1st; 6 spring gilts, due to pig in April; 1 Registered O. I. C. boar.

1 PAIR OF GRAY HORSES—An extra good work pair, weight 3100.

LUNCH by Edwards' Cafe.

IMPLEMENTS—Wagon; mower; John Deere low down manure spreader; top buggy; 2 cultivators and some other articles. All implements are in good condition. Will also sell some oats and hay.

TERMS—$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months at 8 per cent interest.

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Count the words, send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

Miscellaneous.

I AM OFFERING all or part of 1,000 bu. good yellow corn at the crib at $1.00 per bu. No dead beats need apply as cash and cash only takes it away. This offer expires at 12 o'clock noon on March 1, 1917. First call. Cal McKibban. 8-9

BARBER SHOP, 209 East Third — Shave, 10; haircut, 25c and Saturday shave, 15c. Viles & Clouser, barbers. 8-10*

FOR new or old work see me for special prices. Ryks Plumbing Co. south side square. Hanamo 270.

FOUND—2 shirts, boy's size. Owner may have by identifying and paying for this ad. Call Han. 238. 6-8

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

NOTICE—After March 1, I will be located on the corner of Market and Third in the Kane building. All parties having goods stored with me, please look after same at once. Respectfully, R. S. Braniger. 6-10

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Mare, weight between 1,200 and 1,300 lbs., bred to Roelofson's draft horse, broke in all harness. Call Hanamo 6267. 6-8*

FOR SALE—Touring car at a bargain, good condition. See it at Clark's Machine Shop. 5-10*

FOR SALT—21 black calves. Call Ira Thackrey, Parnell, Mo., or J. W. Herndon, Maryville, Mo. 6-8*

FOR SALE—Good jack. "General Knox." Will take late model car or stock as part payment. Otto Risser, Farmers phone 39-14. 6-8

FOR SALE OR RENT—At $10.00 per month, the Bostick property, corner Vine and Grant, 6-room house with 4 lots, good cave and outbuildings. Call Peter Groppe, 815 South Vine street. 6-8*

NATIVE LUMBER FOR SALE—About 20,000 feet or more on the James Robinson farm on Platte river about half way between Conception Junction and Ravenwood. Am prepared to fill bills of most any kind, either for barn frames, house frames, blacksmith's wagon tongues, axles, etc. Call at mill or phone J. E. Wyatt, Arkoe. 22tf.

FOR SALE—Two desirable residence lots, close in, 1½ blocks east of square on East Third street. Elmer Fraser. 5tf

FOR SALE—The Johnson residence, eight rooms, lights, bath, water, two lots, fruit and barn. Second place west Central school, Maryville, Mo. Address Walter E. Johnson, Pickering, Mo., 12tf.

For Rent.

FOR RENT — Seven-room house. Close in. J. A. Ford. 20tf.

Wanted.

WANTED—Two experienced married men want work on farm. Inquire at Democrat-Forum. 7-9*

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-tf

WANTED—Old False Teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 3-24*

WANTED—A woman for general housework. Call Hanamo 11. 8-10

WANTED—Second hand Royal Typewriter No. 5. Must be cheap. Leave address at Democrat-Forum office. 8-10*

WANTED—To buy farm of 200 acres within 2 miles of some town in county. Will pay cash. Hanamo 605, Farmers, 14. 8-10*

Miss Beryle Bishop of Bedison is shopping in Maryville today.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bell went to St. Joseph on business yesterday.

PARNELL ITEMS

Miss Minnie Barber went to Sheridan Friday where she will visit for a few days at the Ad Croy home.

Frank Logan returned to South Dakota Wednesday where he will remain for several months to work.

Miss Marie Rogers of Ravenwood and Miss Iva Fish were Saturday dinner guests of the Misses Lola and Minnie Barber.

E. K. Brown returned from Galloway, Wis., Wednesday where he had been attending to business matters.

Earl Addy, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Alvis Robison, at her home at Pecos Valley, N. M., returned Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Bloomfield returned Monday from Guilford, where she had been visiting for several days. She attended the wedding anniversary of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Huston Wilson, while there.

Miss Rose Wilmes visited home folks at Bedison Sunday and Monday. Her sister, Miss Anna Wilmes, returned with her for a few days visit.

Mrs. Byrd Fronk, operator, and S. O. Miller, director of the Parnell telephone exchange, attended the annual telephone meeting at Worth Friday.

Joe Tanner came up from St. Joseph Monday to visit his sister, Mrs. Louisa Klaas.

Theodore Logan and Charley Harman have rented the new cement building of T. C. Duke for a garage and repair shop. They expect to move in some time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spire entertained Monday night in honor of Miss Nellie Beardsley and Harry Hazzard of Winna, S. D., and Romain Erdmann of Rochester, Wis. Games and music furnished entertainment for the evening. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Gertrude Spire. About twenty-six guests were entertained.

The following are the officers of the Literary society that has been recently organized by the High School; President, Miss Mildred Hall; vice-president, Seth Herndon; secretary and treasurer, Miss Louie Harris, sergeant-at-arms, Miss Helen Welch. The first meeting was held at the school building Friday, January 26.

Rev. Idlephonse Kuhn has taken possession of the new parsonage and hereafter will be a resident of Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gieskin entertained Tuesday night in honor of their tenth wedding anniversary. Music was furnished by Mrs. Irvin Clutter and Bud Milligan. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bird Milligan, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Clutter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Phillips, Mrs. Harvey Milligan, Misses Opal Milligan, Virginia Frede, Irene Defreece, Olivia and Hester Milligan; Charley, Vollie and Jess Wynn and Adrian and Moncise Milligan.

Roy Curry returned Thursday from a few days visit with friends at Sheridan.

Mrs. Clara Clint and Mrs. L. E. Dowis returned from Excelsior Springs Saturday after about a month's stay for the benefit of their health.

John Stutesman Sr., of Sheridan, visited his son, Lewis Stutesman and family the first of the week.

Mrs. Sarah Malone returned to her home at Glenburn, S. D., Wednesday, after a visit with relatives and friends.

Frederick Breit Sr., of Barnard, came Monday for a several days visit with his son, F. R. Breit and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McCrery and Tom McCrery were in Grant City Wednesday.

Newt Evans of Stanby, N. D., arrived here Tuesday morning for a visit with his father, C. C. Evans, who has been quite sick.

Sam Judkins of Omaha, Neb., visited in Parnell Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Judkins was formerly a resident of this place.

Mrs. M. T. Falkner went to St. Joseph Tuesday for a visit with her son, Clarence and family.

Miss Edna Reed, who has been visiting with Arch Woods and family was called to North Platte, Neb., to nurse an uncle.

Rex Lincoln, who has been visiting in Guilford for the past few weeks, returned Tuesday.

Frank Woods of Nebraska, is here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Hughes returned to their home at Dana, Ia., after a few days visit with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Addy.

Freemont Hewitt, who has been visiting his cousin Ed Simmons and family left Wednesday for Des Moines, Ia. and different points where he will visit before returning to his home at Seward, Alaska.

Mrs. Sarah Mcatee left Tuesday for Melbourne, where she will remain for a ten days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Goff and Miss Della Wright of Grant City came Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Goff's brother, Art Huff and family.

Henry Frede left Tuesday for Watson, Mo., to visit his brother, Bill Frede.

B. B. Slagle of Worth, was in Parnell Wednesday enroute to Bakersville, Calif., where he expects to remain for an indefinite length of time.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, February 7, 1917.

Men.

Cook, Harry
Hall, L. J
Harris, H. I.
Tolbert, Lee
Tribbelt, Ross

Women.

Ankrum, Mrs. Fred L.
Archer, Miss Pearl
Brewer, Miss Bessie
Brazzel, Miss Eva
Carmichael, Mrs. Margarett
Kelley, Mrs. Jessie (2)
Rhea, Mrs. Etta
Sager, Mrs. L. M.
Wykert, Nellie

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

Respectfully,
JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

MARYVILLE ASTONISHED BY MERCHANT'S STORY.

A merchant relates the following: "For years I could not sleep without turning every hour. Whatever I ate caused gas and sourness. Also had stomach catarrh. ONE SPOONFUL buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka relieved me INSTANTLY." Because Adler-i-ka flushes the ENTIRE alimentary tract it relieves ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has QUICKEST action of anything we ever sold. The Koch Pharmacy.

A MILLER FOR 39 YEARS.

William Chaney of Hopkins, Retires After Successful Career.

Being a miller for thirty-nine years is the record of William Chaney, of Hopkins, nineteen of the thirty-nine being spent as head miller in the Wolfers Mercantile flouring mills of this city. Having decided that he "had served his time," Mr. Chaney resigned his position the first of the month and his brother, Richard Chaney, familiarly known as "Silver Dick" has taken his place at the mill, he also having had sufficient experience to make him a capable man for the job. The retiring miller now expects to make a specialty of growing seed corn on his 32-acre farm, at the south edge of Hopkins, and this probably means that in the near future Hopkins will be boasting of a big seed house—Mr. Chaney says he does not expect to start such an enterprise but when he gets to handling seed corn he will naturally branch out—at least this has been the history of a lot of prominent seed men who started just as this man expects to start. Such an enterprise would be a good thing for Hopkins and the farmers of this territory.—Hopkins Journal.

A yearling Bronze turkey weighing 42 pounds was sold on the market at Milan last week by C. W. Bailey, of Liberty township for $9.24. This was almost as much as a fat hog would have brought a few years ago, says the Republican.

After being separated from all his relatives for 36 years, and having lost all trace of them, Henry Foss, who has resided at King City for many years, has found his long-lost family in Michigan and will leave shortly to join them. He is an old bachelor.

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THE RECOGNIZED STANDARD-AVOID SUBSTITUTES

PUBLIC SALE

As I have decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction 1¾ miles south of Orrsburg and 1¼ miles north of Harmony Church, on

Wednesday, February 14

The following described property:

HORSES—Span mare mules, coming 3 and 4 years old, well broke; black horse coming 4 years old, weight 1500; bay mare, 5 years old, weight 1100.

11 HEAD OF CATTLE—6 first-class milch cows, will freshen soon, 2 coming 2-year-old heifers to be fresh in March; 3 spring calves.

2 HOGS, weight about 175 lbs. About 6 tons hay; stack oat straw.

IMPLEMENTS—Set blacksmith tools, wagon, buggy, 14-18 disc, walking cultivator, 14-inch stirring plow, mowing machine, cream separator.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Malleable steel range, improved King Bee heater, kitchen cabinet, dining table, 5 chairs, 2 rockers, 9x12 Axminster rug; 3 bedsteads; 2 cupboards; 2 stand tables; dresser. These articles are good as new.

Canned Fruit, apples, and potatoes, can of lard, barrel of meat. Four thoroughbred Rose Comb Wyandotte cockerels.

TERMS—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months on approved security, bearing 8 per cent from date of sale. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

Chas. Evans, Auct.
S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

Geo. Schweikhardt

Public Sale

Having sold my farm I will sell at public sale at my residence, known as the Jerry Albright farm, 5 miles northeast of Skidmore, 5 miles southeast of Quitman, 8½ west and 1½ miles south of Maryville, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m., on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1917

The following property:

15 HORSES AND MULES—Consisting of 1 bay mare, 8 years old, bred to jack; 1 span of mares, 7 and 12 years old, in foal by jack; 1 sorrel mare, 9 years old, wt. 1050 lbs.; 1 bay mare, 8 years old, wt. 950 lbs., broke to all harness, good family horse; 1 sorrel horse, 5 years old, broke; 1 sorrel horse, 4 years old, unbroke; 1 3-year-old filly; 1 span 3-year-old fillies, unbroke; 1 2-year-old filly; 1 saddle bred horse, 3 years old, broke to all harness; 1 3-year-old bay gelding; 1 span weanling mules.

36 HEAD OF CATTLE—Consisting of 2 good milch cows, one a Jersey, both to be fresh in spring; 2 coming 2-year-old heifers, to be fresh in spring; 2 fat steers, coming 2 years old; 1 yearling heifer; 9 weanling steers; 16 weanling heifers; 2 fall calves; 1 highgrade, coming 2-year-old Shorthorn bull.

35 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of 10 brood sows, to farrow in spring; 1 sow with 8 pigs by side; 15 shoates weght from 60 to 90 pounds; 1 full blood Chesterwhite male hog.

About 1400 bushels of corn in crib; about 20 tons baled timothy and clover hay.

McCormick binder, Avery corn planter, 2 walking cultivators, John Deere lister, corn drill, 2-row go-devil, about 200 hedge posts.

TERMS—$10.00 and under cash; On sums over $10 a credit of six months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note with 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

LUNCH by ladies of Centenary Church

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
W. S. Linville, Clerk.

F. C. Kelly

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Feb. 8. — WHEAT — May, $1.67⅜—; July, $1.42½.

CORN—May, 98½c; July, 97¼c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Feb. 8.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000; steers, $8.00@$11.50; cows, $5.10@$5.60.

HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; top, $12.20; bulk, $10.65@$12.15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000; market, steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—CATTLE—Receipts 7,500; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 46,000; market, 5c lower; top, $12.40.

SHEEP—Receipts, 9,000; Market, 5c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Feb. 8.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,000; market, 10c lower; top, $12.25.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; Market, weak.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce Co.

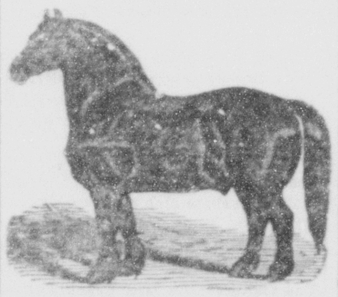
Butter Fat, per lb	33c
Eggs	33c
Hides, per lb	15c
Cocks	8c
Smooth Spring Chickens	16c
Hens, per lb	18c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c

Young Roosters according to value.

A King City kitchen fire was revived one cold day last week by the use of kerosene. The result was a narrow escape from death for the person using this drastic means of fire-building, and a call for the fire department.

Just Received a Spring Shipment of WALL PAPER
Arnett Decorating Co.
Take Advantage of the Low Prices Now

Horses and Mules WANTED



Will positively be at the

Star Barn

Every Saturday

Will buy draft horses, war horses, and Southern horses and mares. Also want some fat mules, any size and age.

Charles H. Roach

Exposure is the most frequent cause of coughs, colds and grippe. The penetrating dampness starts the chill, the germ gets a foothold and sneezing, sniffling and coughing are the consequences.

When you notice that grippy, stuffed-up feeling take Dr. King's New Discovery and stop its progress. The pure balsams in this old reliable cough and cold remedy soothe the sore throat, the antiseptic qualities cut the phlegm and kill the germ and the cold is quickly relieved.

Have a bottle handy for grippe, croup and bronchial coughs. You'll like it. Your druggist has sold it for years.

MRS. J. M. EPHLAND DIES.

Hopkins Woman Succumbs to A Complication of Diseases.

Mrs. J. M. Ephland died January 31, 1917, at her home, 5 miles northeast of Hopkins, the cause of her death being a complication of diseases. The deceased was about 54 years of age and leaves a husband and nine children to mourn for her, all but one of the children being present at the funeral.

Services were held at the home on Friday and burial took place in the Hopkins cemetery. Mrs. Ephland was a splendid woman and although a resident of this community but five years, she won for herself many friends who extend sympathy to the bereaved family.—Hopkins Journal.

Gallatin merchants have joined in the national pay-up campaign and will "help pass prosperity around."

Public Sale!

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public sale at the place, 1¼ miles south and ½ mile east of public square of Maryville, on

Saturday, Feb. 10, 1917

at 10 o'clock promptly

HORSES—2 black mares; 1 mare, 9 years old, broke to all harness; 1 filly, coming 3 years old, broke to double harness.

COWS—5 good Jersey cows, 3 fresh, others to freshen soon. All these cows test higher than 5 in butter fat

HOGS—11 fall shoats. 5 or 6 dozen Leghorn hens.

About 50 bushels of corn and same of oats. About 4 tons of timothy hay, some Sudan and prairie hay.

IMPLEMENTS—Wagon, rubber tired top buggy, road wagon, hay frame, 6-foot McCormick mower, 10-foot harrow, 14-inch stirring plow, John Deere walking cultivator, disc, harrow, grindstone, corn sheller, set double work harness, set single harness, saddle, 4 oak corner posts, Sharples separator No. 4, barrel churn, 3 burner oil stove, "Old Trusty" incubator, 120-egg; Queen incubator, 120-egg; heating stove, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
Jos. Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

Chas. W. Neil

Be sure to be on time for this sale as the auctioneer has another date in the afternoon — Remember 10 o'clock sharp.

49 HEAD OF SHEEP—17 head of native Shropshire ewes, extra good, weight average 200. Also 32 head of large Idahos. These are larger than the usual western ewe. (These sheep are listed by E. S. Wallace, who will take the rest of his farm stock with him to Nebraska.)

Real Estate at Auction

We will sell the farm and residence lot described below at public auction at the front door of the Court House at Maryville, Missouri, at 1:30 o'clock on

Saturday, February 10, 1917

171 ACRE FARM 171

Known as the Edgar Rhodes farm, 3½ miles northwest of Barnard, Mo., and 3½ miles southwest of Arkoe, Mo. This farm is gently rolling and will make an ideal stock farm. There are two houses on the place—One nearly new 5-room house and a good 3-room house—Chicken house; smoke house; a good large barn; fences are in good condition. This will sure be an opportunity to make an investment in a farm that will make money.

TERMS:—$1,500 cash on sale day, party to assume the payment of $5,000 loan held by The Farmers Trust Co., of Maryville, and balance of our equity, payable in 1 and 2 years at 6 per cent interest. We will allow a discount of 6 per cent for all cash payment on our equity over $1,500. The deferred payments to us to be secured by second mortgage. Purchaser to pay interest from March 1, 1917, when possession will be given on both deferred payments and $5,000 mortgage.

Choice Residence Lot in Maryville

KNOWN AS THE E. D. HOLMES LOT

Situated on East Seventh street in one of the best residence sections of the city, on a paved street and an extra good lot. This lot is W½, NE¼, of block bounded on north by Seventh street, on east by Vine street, and on south by Sixth street, and on west by Market street, in original town of Maryville.

TERMS ON LOT:—$200 cash on sale day, balance 12 months time at 6 per cent interest from date.

For further particulars, write or see

JACKSON-VREELAND SECURITIES CO.

Or R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

426-32 Lathrop Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.